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Rossonian

Dedication

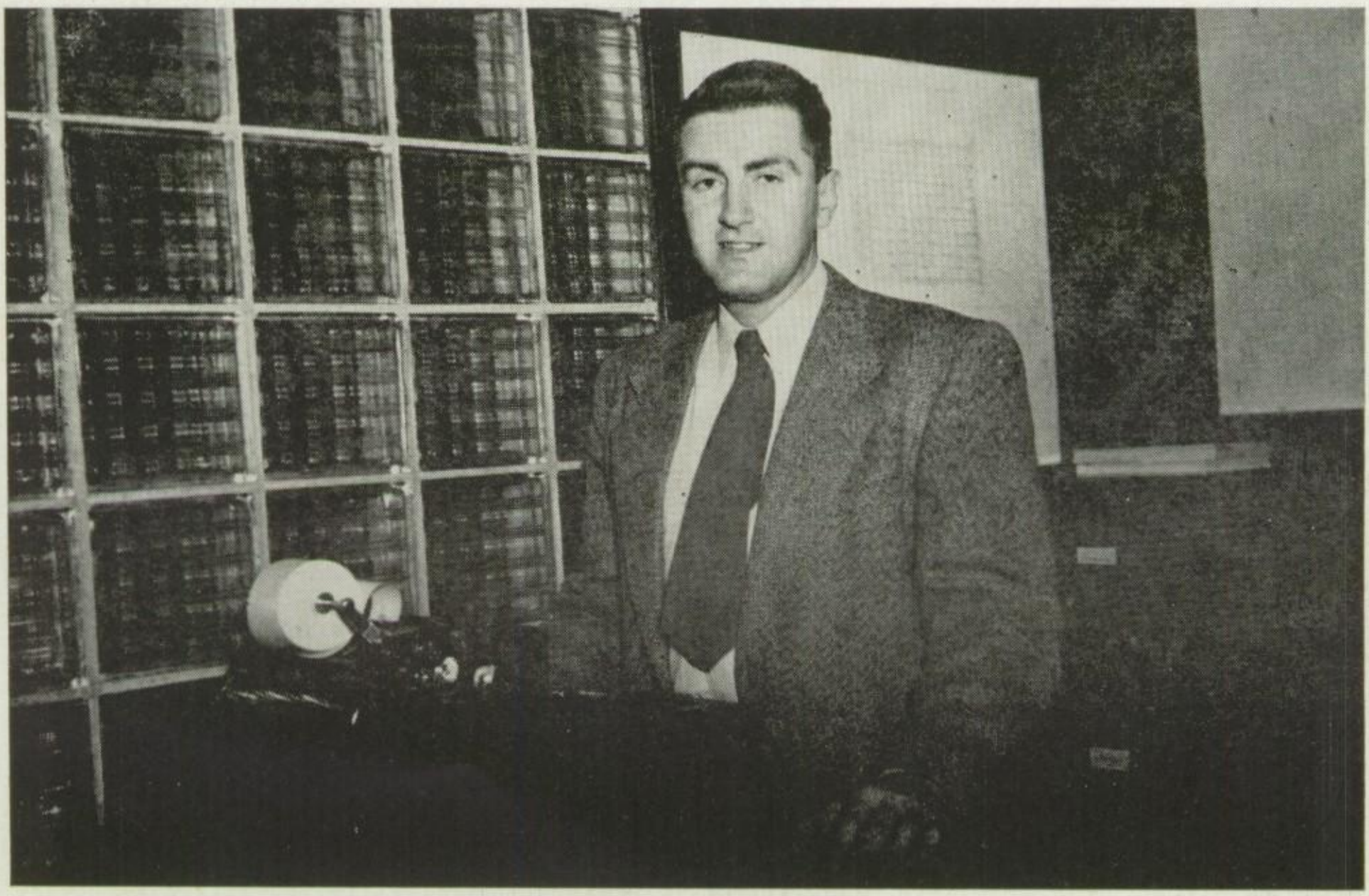
We, *the Senior Class of* 1950, *wish to dedicate our annual to our very capable advisor,* Mrs. Julia Wildman. *Mrs. Wildman has been our advisor for the past three years and was always willing to help and cooperate with our class during that time.*

Administration

SUPERINTENDENT

MR. FINKBINE

PRINCIPAL

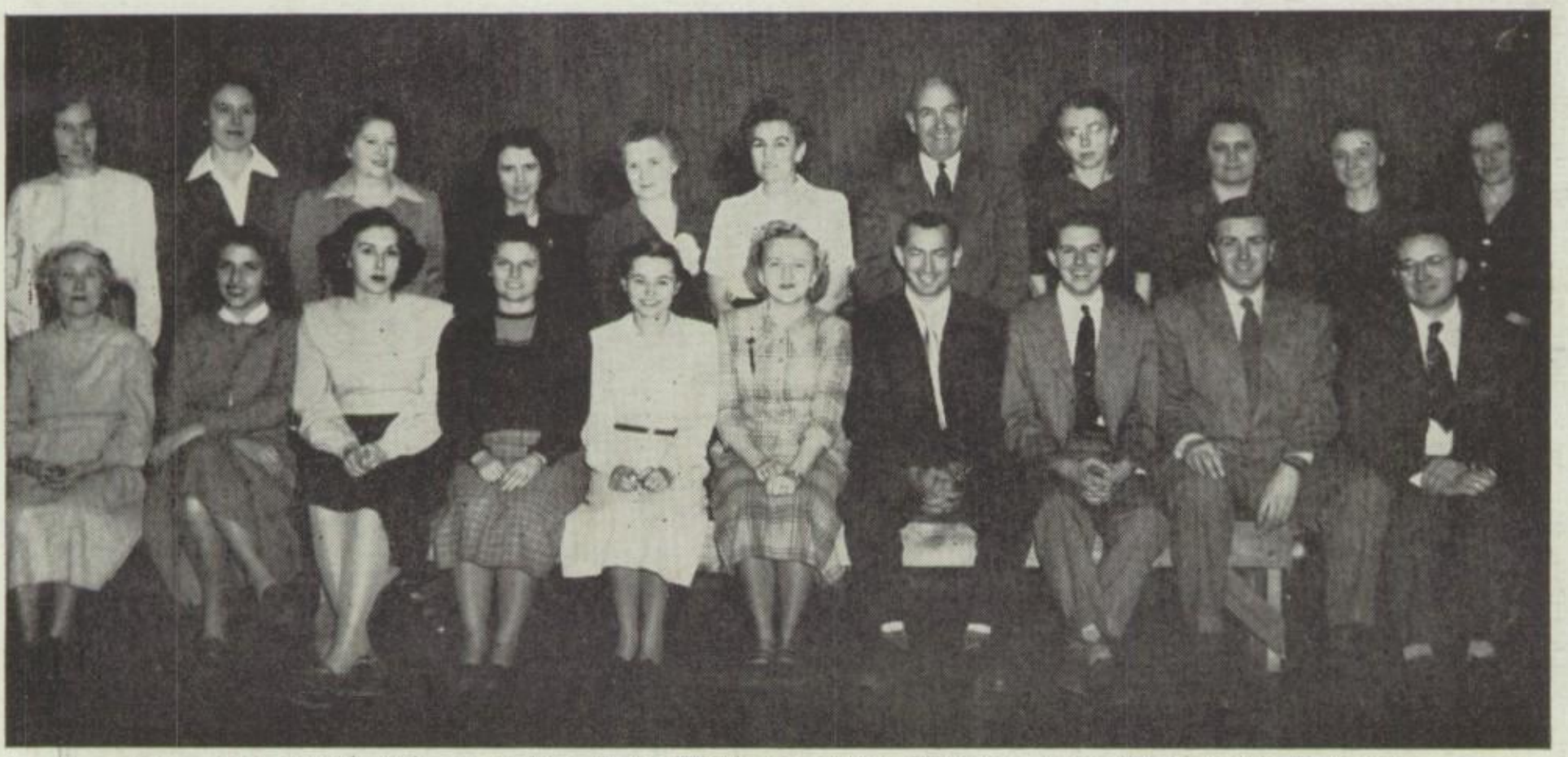


MR. CLEAVER

SCHOOL BOARD

Left to right: Henry Robinson, Albert Wiseman, Fred Finkbine, Superintendent; Glenn Cisle, Clyde Morris, Melvin Schwab.

FACULTY



Row one, seated, left to right: Julia Wildman, Alice Wiggins, Lois Weilhamer, Rosemary Fallanca, Maralyn Parker, Lois Saurbeck, Robert Lunsford, Stanley Rowland, Robert Cleaver, Robert Westfall.
Row two: Sylvia Greschel, Helen Lindsey, Margaret Etter, Mabel Schaeffer, Katherine Fogarty, Dorothy Spaulding, Fred Finkbine, Mabel Kleinfelder, Ruth Wilson, Florce Evans, Mary Quinlan.

BUS DRIVERS

Row one, seated, left to right: Rudolph Seeger, Fred Engel, Gordon Fox, Thuriel Nogle.
Row two: Howard Allen, Harry Hiler, Anna Gast, Rahe Shaw.

COOKS AND CUSTODIANS

Left to right: Alexander Rice, Gladys Shaw, Irene Butterfield, Ipha Lacy, Alta Demoret, Albert Frazee.

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Seniors

JACK BACKMAN

Rossonian 12; Class Play 11, 12; Class President 11, 12; Class Officer 9; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Senior Scholarship 12; Scholarship 9, 10, 11; Glee Club 9, 10, 11, 12; F.F.A. 9, 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 9, 10, 12; Boys Athletic Club 11; Honor Society 12; Officer F F.A. 10, 11, 12; F.F.A. Scholarship 12.

CAROL BAKER

Rossonian 12; Basketball 11, 12; Ross Rays 10, 11, 12; Scholarship 9, 10; Glee Club 12; F.H.A. 9; G.A.A. 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 10, 11, 12; Play Committee 11, 12; Junior Safety Council 12.

JEANNE BRATER

Rossonian 12; Ross Rays 11, 12; Glee Clcb 9, 10, 11; Music Club 10, 11; F.H.A. 9, 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 12; Play Committeess 11, 12.

MARTHA BUELL

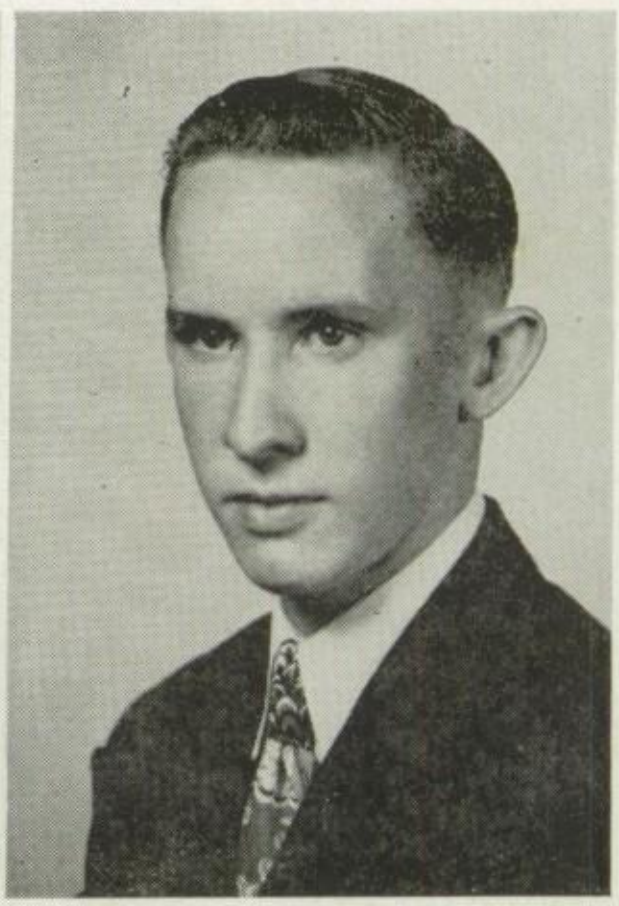
Rossonian 12; Class Play 11, 12; Student Council 12; Cheerleader 11, 12; Basketball 12; Ross Rays 11, 12; Glee Club 11; G.A A. 11, 12; Y-Teens 11, 12.

EMOGENE BURNS

Rossonian Assistant Editor 12; Class Play 11, 12; Class Officer 9, 11, 12; Basketball 12; Ross Rays 9, 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 9, 10, 11; Scholarship 9; F.H.A. 9, 10; G.A.A. 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 10, 11, 12; Office Help 12.

FORREST RAY CISLE

Rossonian 12; Class Officer 9; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Ross Rays 9, 10; Glee Club 9, 10, 11, 12; F.F.A. 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 9, 10, 11, 12; Play Committee 11, 12.



MARIAN COOKE
Rossonian 12; Class Officer 9, 10, 11, 12; Ross Rays Editor 12; Ross Rays 9, 10, 11; Librarian 12; Bus Patrolman 12; Senior Scholarship; Scholarship 9, 10, 11; Honor Society 11, 12; F.H.A. 9, 10; G.A.A. 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 10, 11, 12; Play Committe 11, 12.

JOAN ENGEL
Student Council 10, 11; F.H.A. 9; Ross Rays 9, 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12; Class Officer 9; Cheerleader 10, 11, 12; Scholarship 9, 10, 11, 12.

MARY ANN ESCHENBRENNER
Rossonian 12; Class Play 11; Class Officer 9, 10; Cheerleader 10, 11; Basketball 12; Ross Rays 9, 10, 11, 12; Librarian 10, 11; Scholarship 9; Glee Club 9, 10, 11; Ensemble 10; F.H.A. 9, 10, 11; G.A.A. 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 10, 11, 12; Play Committee 12; Assistant Bus Patrolman 9.

BETTY GLAUB
Rossonian 12; Cheerleader 9, 10; Ross Rays 10, 11; Bus Patrolman 11; Glee Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Music Club 10; F.H.A. 9, 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 9; Dramatics 11, 12; F.T.A. 10, 11, 12; Play Committee 11; Office Help 12; Prince of Peace 10, 11.

RALPH GUENTHER
Rossonian 12; Class Play 12; Class Officer 11, 12; Librarian 10, 11; Scholarship 11; Music Club 9; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Bus Patrolman 11; Assistant Librarian 9.

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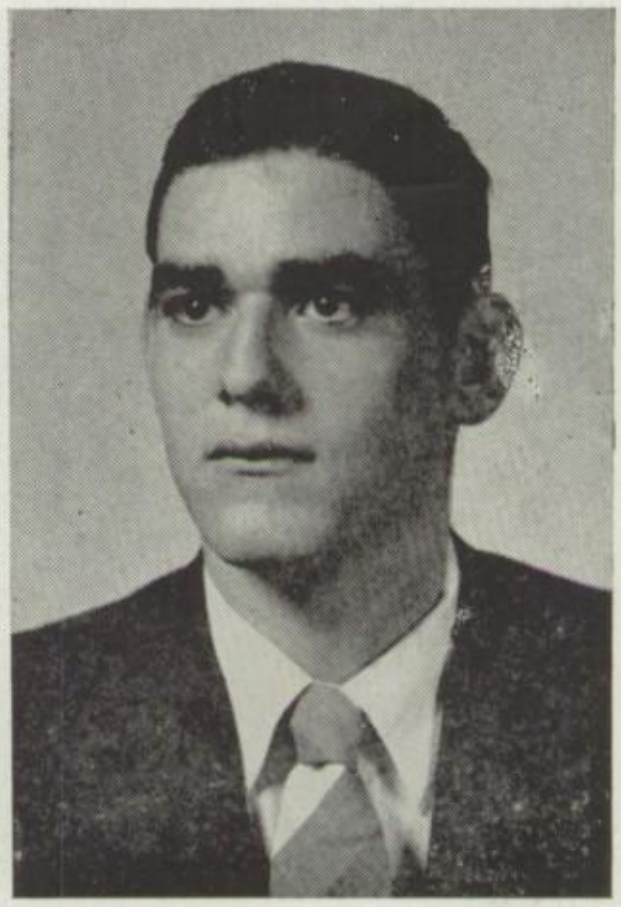

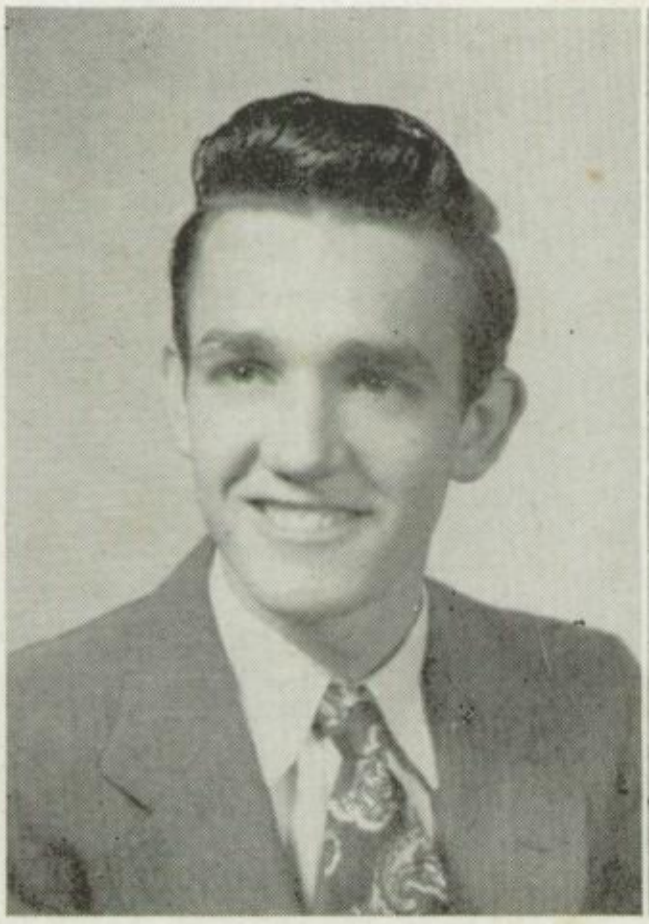

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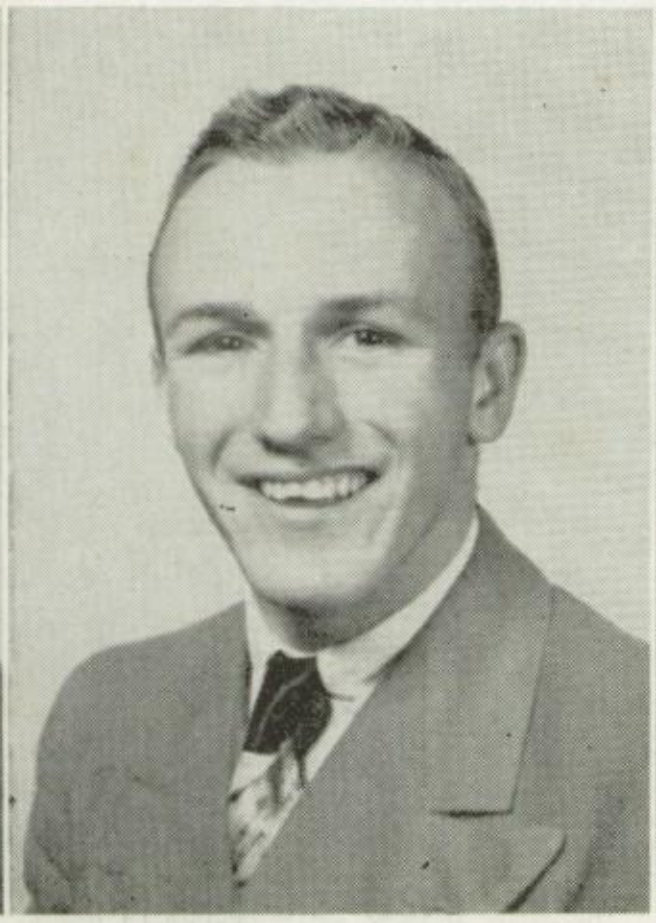

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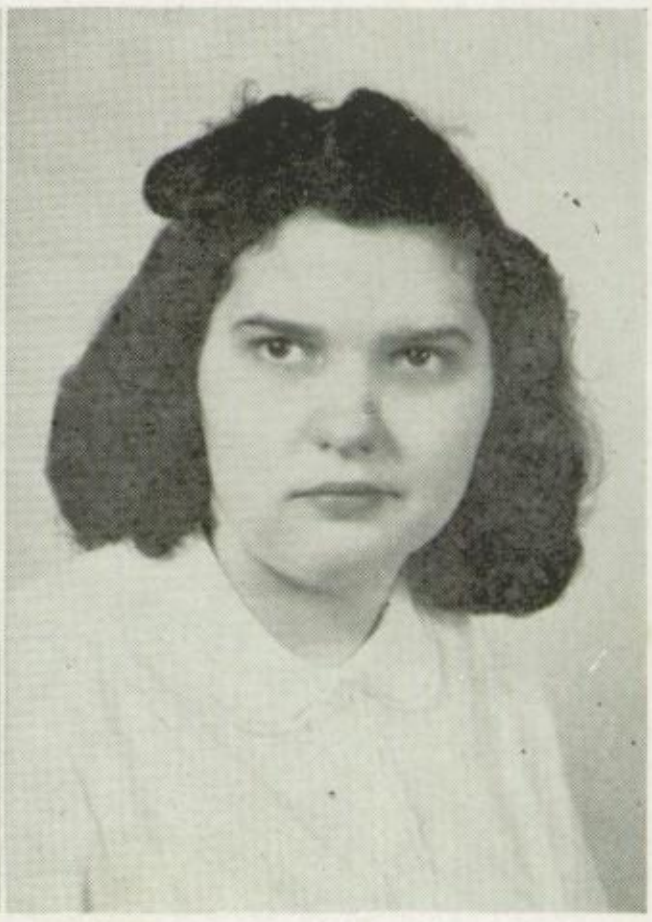

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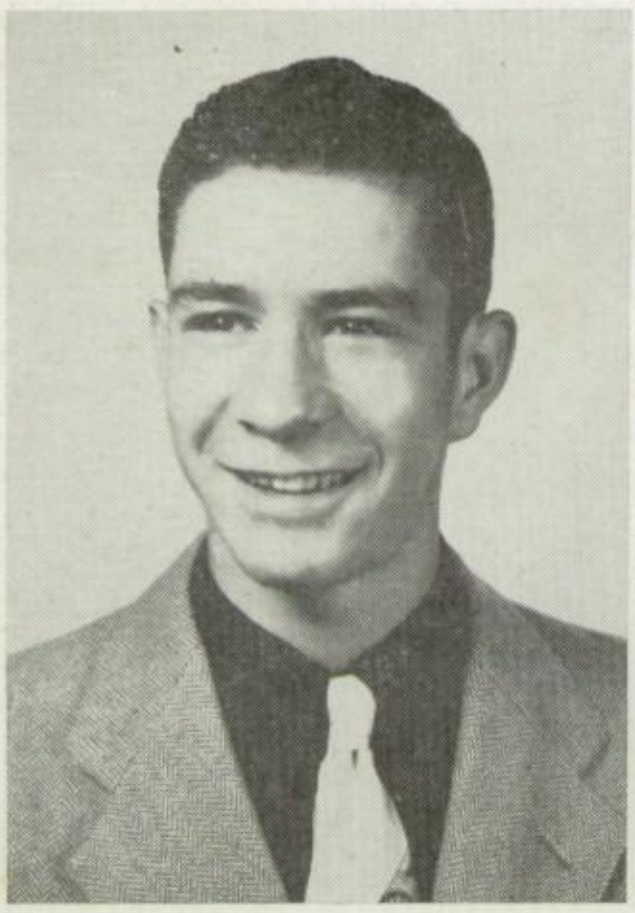
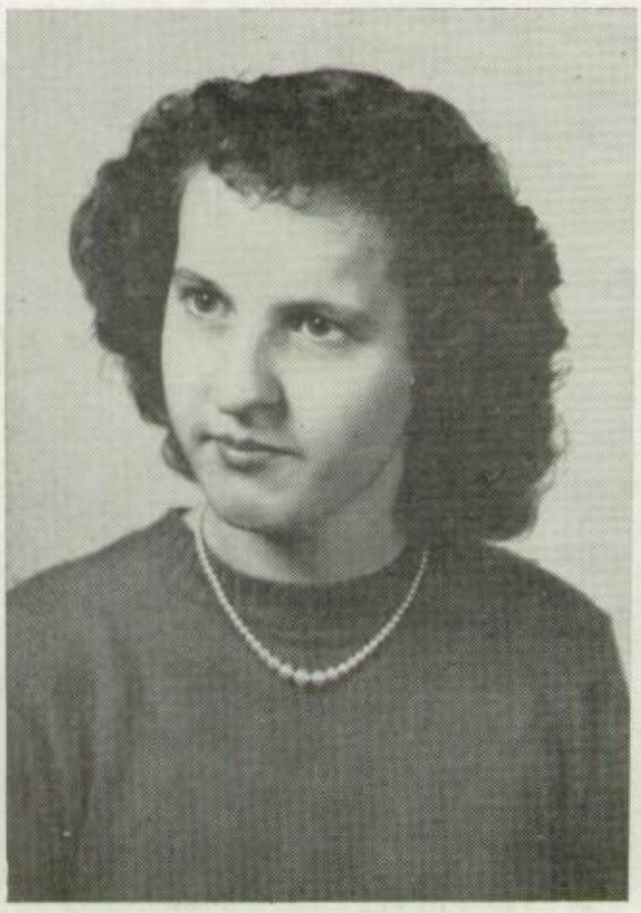
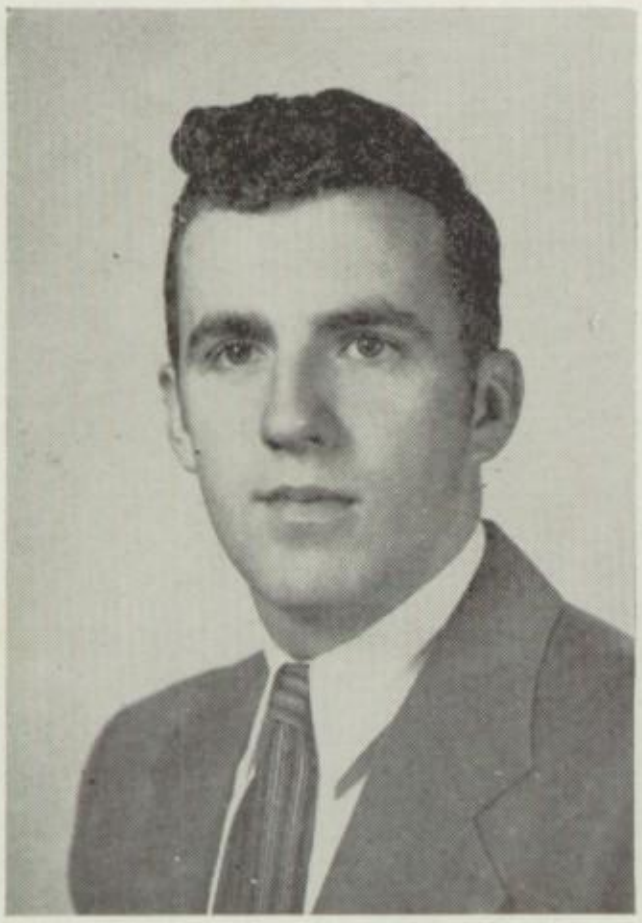
BOB LANDES
Rossonian 12; Band 11, 12; Baseball 12; Scholarship 11; Hi-Y 11, 12; Play Committee 11, 12.

ALICE MANIFOLD
Rossonian 12; Ross Rays 12; Y-Teens 12; F.H.A. 12; Play Committee 12.

JEAN McCALLEY
Rossonian 12; Class Play 11; Class Officer 10; Ross Rays 9, 10, 11, 12; Senior Scholarship; Glee Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Double Sextet 12; Honor Society 11, 12; F.H.A. 9, 10, 11, 12; G.A.A. 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 10, 11, 12; Play Committee 12; Office Help 11, 12; Drum Majorette 12; F.H.A. Play 12.







JAMES MEEKER

Rossonian 12; Class Play 11, 12; Class President 10; Class Officer 9; Student Council 11; Football 9, 10, 11; Track 9, 10; Basketball 9, 10; Glee Club 9, 10, 11, 12; F.F.A 9, 11; Hi-Y 9, 10, 11, 12.

PAT MEHL

Rossonian 12; Ross Rays 9, 11, 12; Glee Club 9, 11, 12; Cheerleader 9, 11, 12; F.H.A. 9, 11, 12; G.A.A. 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 11, 12; Play Committee 11, 12.

CHRISTINA MEYERS

Rossonian 12; Ross Rays 9, 10, 11, 12; Librarian 11, 12; Scholarship 9, 10, 11, 12; F.H.A. 9; G.A.A 11; Y-Teens 9; F.T.A. 10, 11, 12; Dramatics 10, 11, 12; Play Committee 11, 12; Assistant Librarian 9, 10.

JOHN PACKER

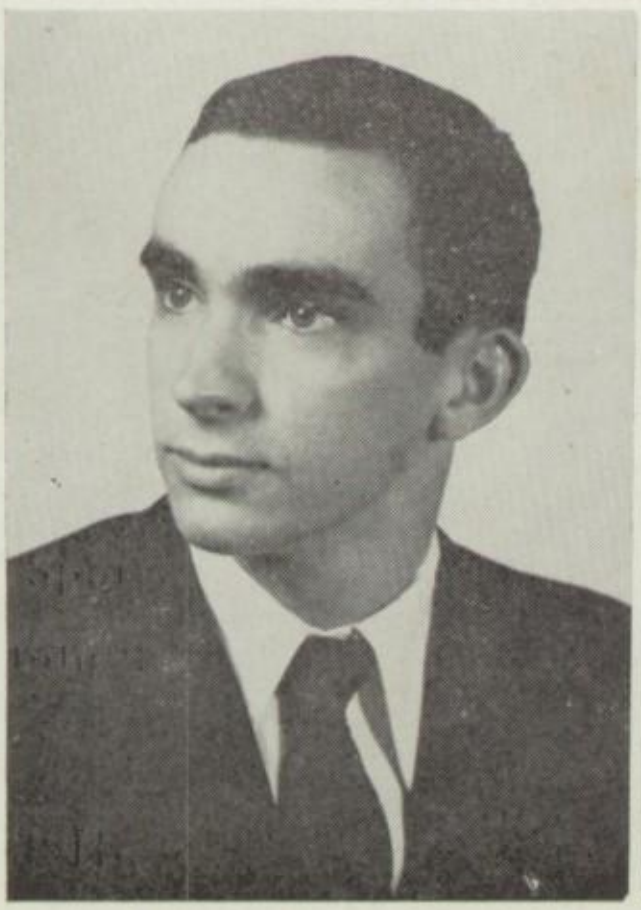
Rossonian 12; Class Play 11; Class Officer 10; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Track 9, 10, 11, 12; Librarian 9, 10 11; Bus Patrolman 10.

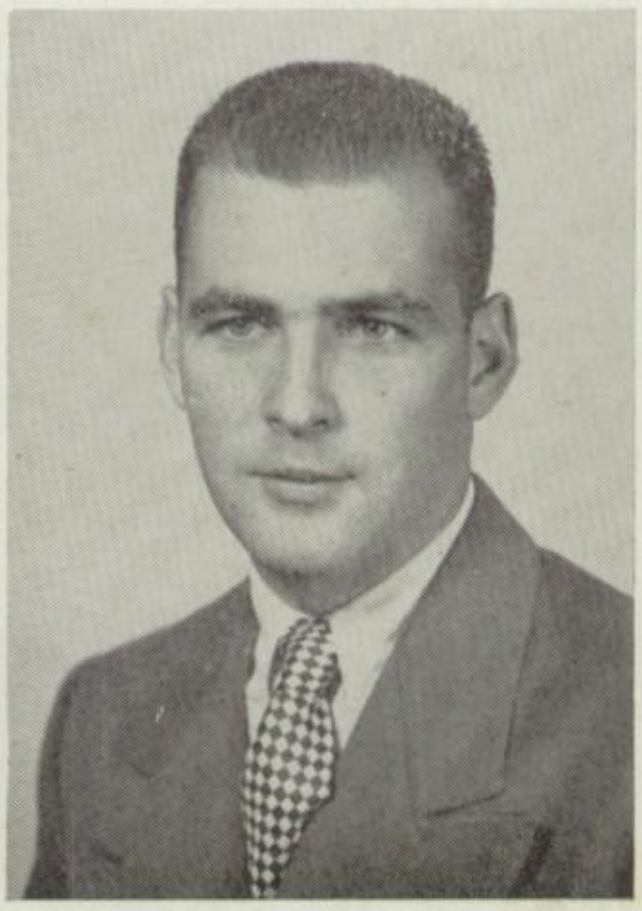
DON PATTON

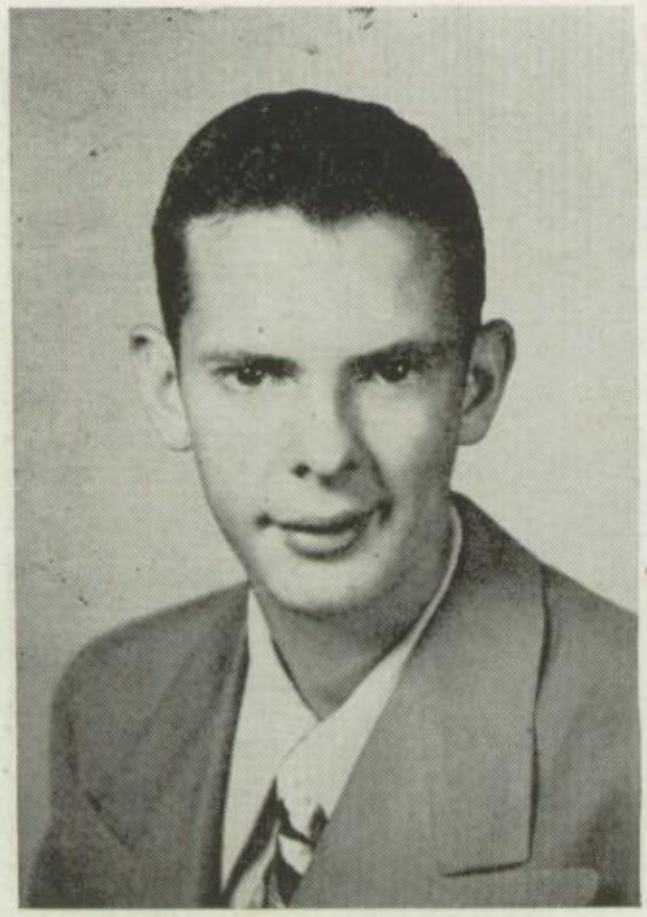
Rossonian 12; Football 9, 10, 11; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Track 9, 10, 11, 12; Ross Rays 9, 10; Librarian 9; Glee Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Ensemble 9, 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 9, 12; Dramatics 10; Play Committee 11, 12; Assistant Librarian 10; Athletic Club 11.

BILL PHILLIPS

Rossonian Editor 12; Class Play 11, 12; Class Officer 10, 11, 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Baseball 10, 11, 12; Basketball 10, 11; Track 10, 11; Senior Scholarship; Glee Club 10, 11, 12; Ensemble 10, 11, 12; Honor Society 12; Hi-Y 12; Dramatics 10; Boys' Athletic Club 11.







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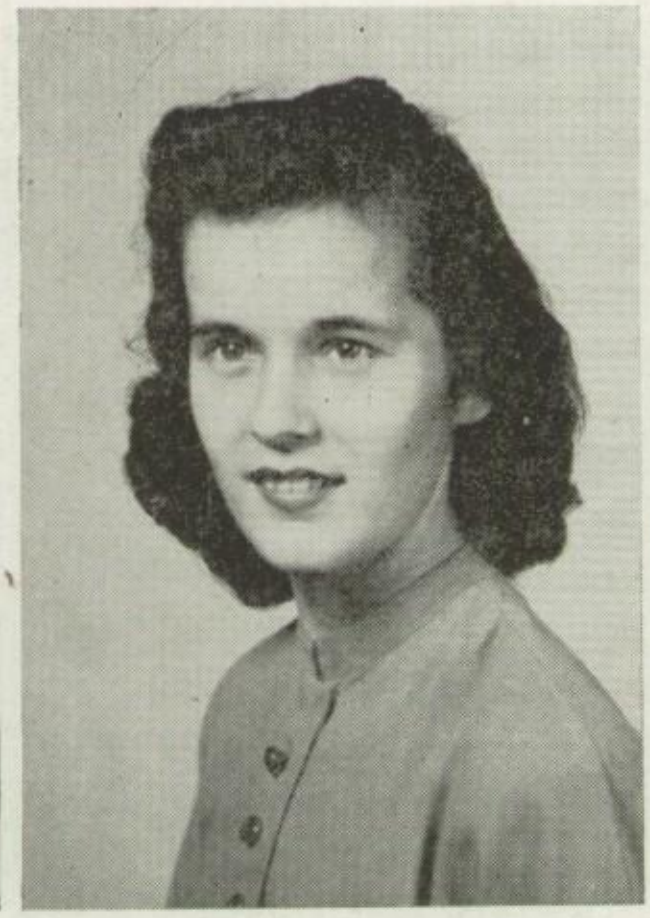

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JUNE TOLLEY
Rossonian 12; Ross Rays 9, 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 9, 10, 11, 12; F.H.A. 9; F.T.A. 10; Glee Clcb 9, 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader 9, 10; Class Officer 10; Class Play 11; Play Committee 12; G A.A. 12; Scholarship 9.

SHIRLEY TOLLEY
Rossonian 12; Ross Rays 10, 11, 12; Librarian 10; Bus Patrolman 12; Glee Club 9, 10, 11, 12; F.H.A. 9, 10, 11, 12; G.A.A. 12; Y-Teen 9, 10, 11, 12; Play Committee 11, 12; Assistant Bus Patrolman 11.

NANCY WHITE
Rossonian 12; Y-Teens 9, 10. 11, 12; F.H.A. 9, 10, 11, 12; F.H.A. Play 12; Class Officer 11; Scholarship 9, 10, 12; Honor Society 11, 12; Ross Rays 9, 11, 12; Chorus 9. 10, 11. 12; Ensemble 10; Double Sextet 12

BERNICE WILHELM
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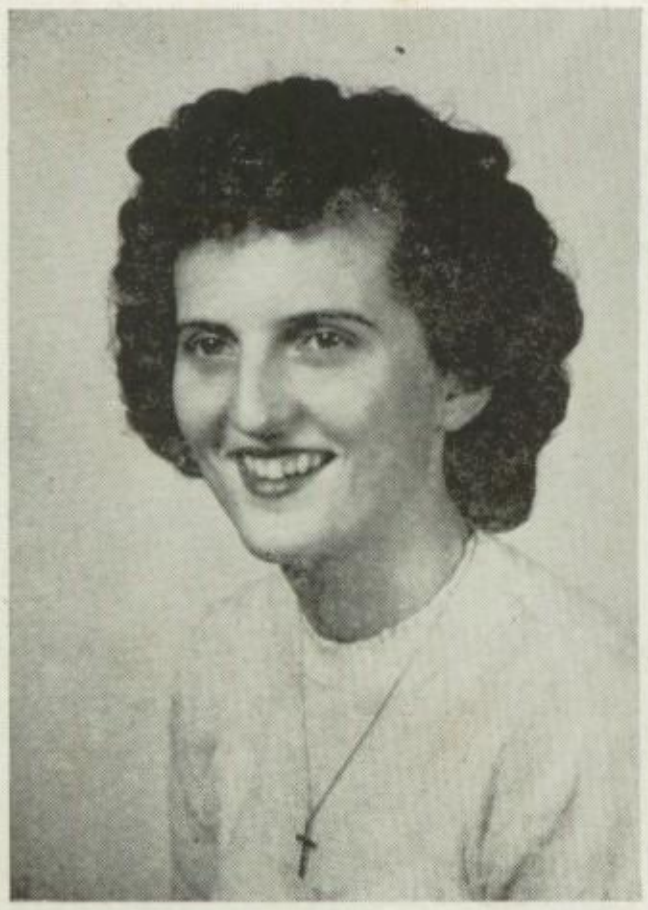

SENIOR PLAY CAST

Seated: Mrs. Greschel.
Standing, left to right: James Meeker, Betty Glaub, Ralph Guenther, Emogene Burns, Bill Phillips, Martha Buell, Ed Hacker, Joan Engel, Jack Bachman.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

As the curtain goes up we see Jane Bronson (Joan Engel) and Ted Bronson (Bill Phillips) in the living room of their home, greatly excited over a recent warning found outside by Cora, the maid, (Emogene Burns). The next person we see upon the scene is Betty Kay (Martha Buell) who has hurt her ankle in an accident and comes to the Bronson estate for help. The next person to make his entrance is Mickey Watt (Ralph Guenther) who wants to learn how to be a necker. John, the caretaker, (Jim Meeker) enters the scene telling of the murder of the servant and tells of a dangerous criminal being at large. Ted then discovers Tom Randall (Ed Hacker) a young collegeman, who is being initiated into a fraternity at the estate following out some of his requirements. Mr. Winple, (Jack Bachman) an arrogant detective arrives to investigate the crime. Mrs. Bentlow (Betty Glaub), a middleage housekeeper, keeps insisting she is to be murdered in her bed. Several of the characters disappear and at the end it is discovered that the murderer is Tom Randall, the escaped criminal, and his associate is Mrs. Bentlow. Of course, love hit the scene and Jane and Mickey, and Betty Kay and Ted decide to make everything permanent.

CLASS HISTORY

As the doors opened on September 3, 1946, a group of mighty green Freshmen started down the halls, not knowing what door to enter or which corner to turn. Since we were just entering high school, we started off on a tour of the building with 21 members led by Mrs. Greschel as our able advisor, and the following officers:

President ..... Joan Engel
Vice President ..... Jack Bachman
Secretary ..... Mary Ann Eschenbrenner
Treasurer ..... Marian Cooke

On our first lap of the journey we picked up Earl McGaffeney, Carol Baker, Jean McCalley, and Christina Meyers, and lost Dale Gifford, Warren Hoelle, and Katherine Roach. We stopped off several times on our tour to have parties. To close this big tour, we had a hayride to LeSourdsville Lake for the afternoon and evening of the last day of school.

The doors opened on September 2, 1947, and we found ourselves no longer little green Freshmen but mature(we thought) Sophomores. This year, instead of having a tour of the building, we thought we would look around a little further to see what was interesting in the Ross School vicinity. Whom should we see but Mrs. Wildman, our advisor, and the class officers:

President ..... Jim Meeker
Vice President ..... John Packer
Secretary ..... June Tolley
Treasurer ..... Jean Tolley

coming up the walk with the new addition to the class, Bill Phillips, following close behind. Again our activities were few, but there were several parties during the year. As we had been doing for the last few years, we had the hayride to LeSourdsville Lake as the climax of our Sophomore year.

On September 4, 1948, we entered Ross School with the feeling that we were here for two more years and that these would be the best years of our school life. We were accustomed to this life by now so we now knew that we had to get busy and do all the things in the Junior year to make the school run smoothly. (Of course, smoothly.) When we at last decided it was time to get to work, we chose Mrs. Wildman as our advisor and elected these officers:

President ..... Jack Bachman
Vice President ..... Ralph Guenther
Secretary ..... Emogene Burns
Treasurer ..... Marian Cooke

Several people joined us to help us work and have fun. They were Bob Landes, Martha Buell, Edward Hacker, Bernice Bowman and Ethel Hunley; and Junior Shiplet and Ruth Pillion were our only withdrawals.

Our next event was the class play, "Too Sweet for Sixteen," a comedy presented on April 8. We never realized before how much fun it was to put on a comedy play. The biggest event of our life was when we put on our formals and went to the Junior prom with our best beaux. What a lovely prom it was and what work we did to make it that way. With all this hard work we ended a very successful Junior year.

On September 6, 1949, a group of 32 Seniors entered Ross School in happy anticipation of a glorious year to end our high school career. We adopted as our motto, "Our Life Is What We Make It," and we determined to make each of our lives, this last school year, interesting and purposeful. What a thrill it was to think how much more We picked the same officers we had last mature we were than our underclassmen. year:

President ..... Jack Bachman
Vice President ..... Ralph Guenther
Secretary ..... Emogene Burns
Treasurer ..... Marian Cooke

Mrs. Wildman again became our able advisor.

Among our early activities was the presentation of our Senior play, a mystery, "The Black Derby," on November 11, 1949.

On February 3, we sent the brains of our class to Hamilton High School to take the Senior Scholarship Test. As a result of this test, Jack Bachman received honorable mention in the county. Others participating in the test were Marian Cooke, Joan Engel, Jean McCalley, Bill Phillips, and Nancy White.

On April 21, we sponsored a modern dance with Dean Pottenger's Orchestra. We decided that the slow tempo of a modern dance would be a restful change after all the exertion put out at the previous square dances.

During the course of the year, we gained Frank McNamara, and Alice Manifold, and lost Earl McGaffeney and Ethel Hunley.

Although our school year is not yet ended, we have a lot to anticipate. On May 5, the annual Junior-Senior prom will be given in our honor, and on May 12, we will journey to Gatlinburg, Tennessee on a Greyhound Bus to have one last time of comradeship as a class group.

Time is slowly creeping upon us. On May 21, Baccalaureate is scheduled with the Reverend Landes delivering the sermon. Then will come Commencement, May 24, and the Seniors will make their last public appearance as a class. Farewell! !

CLASS PROPHECY

In the metropolis of Rossburg, at the local swimming pool, in the year 1960, a distinguished group is gathered. One hears such phrases as "Ross School," "the best class Ross ever had," "the good old days." In other words, this is the reunion of the class of 1950.

Here come Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bachman driving up in their 1929 Dodge. Mrs. Bachman is the former Jean McCalley. Jack is a very prosperous farmer and drives his beloved Dodge from preference rather than necessity.

Let's take a look at this group talking together as they lounge in the shade. Why, it's our old friend, Bill Phillips, the president of General Motors, Inc. With him, notebook in hand, is Dorothy Hilton, his indispensable secretary. Jim Meeker and Jean Tolley (Mr. and Mrs. Meeker) are joining the group. Here is another prosperous farm couple. Look at those darling children clinging to Jean's skirt. They are the Meeker twins.

Who is that standing on the diving board in the ultra modern bathing suit? There is quite a crowd around her, too. Why, it's Betty Glaub, giving a speech on Woman's Place in the World. Betty isn't getting the attention she deserves because there is a counter attraction arriving on the scene. All eyes are turned on glamorous Pat Mehl, owner of Rossburg's most exclusive night club, and her three star performers, Nancy White, greatest blues singer since Lena Horne, Jeanne Brater, leading lady of the chorus, and Don Patton, world famous comedian and official bouncer.

Here is another cozy little group chatting away. The girls, Martha Buell and Carol Baker, now the Mesdames Fred Patton and Hank Irwin respectively, are full of news items which they are passing out to their former classmates as their husbands talk about basketball. "Mee Weese" and "Buddy" tell us that Douglas Harris has been made postmaster of Rossburg. June Tolley, we learn, is Mr. Finkbine's very efficient secretary at dear old Ross School and Christina Meyers is the much adored first grade teacher at our Alma Mater. John Packer, they tell us, is making a name for himself playing basketball with the United States Eagles. His latest record is 110 points in one game. Remember Marian Cooke? Well, she rides around in a 1960 Buick and her husband is manager of the Procter and Gamble. Edward Hacker, always a hard worker, is now plant manager at Ford's. Shirley Tolley is now Mrs. Clyde Williams, and she is back in Rossburg with her five children. Clyde couldn't get away because he is running the world's largest rodeo on his modern ranch in New Mexico. Well, we certainly got a lot of news in this group.

Who's coming in on this big truck? Why, it's Buck Guenther and Mrs. Guenther (Mary Ann Eschenbrenner to her classmates). Buck is president of the Guenther's Guernsey Grow Fast Company, Inc. Lively little Mrs. Guenther is finding an outlet for her energies in looking after the healthy, husky bunch of youngsters perched on the milk cans in the truck.

Here comes a familiar looking young lady. It's Joan Engel who has made a place for herself in the New York fashion world where she designs exclusive Engel originals. Joan strolls over to join Jim Stokley, manager of the local Rossburg Rams, who is watching his team play a winning game. Jim's star pitcher, Bob Landes, is not playing today because, of course, he wanted to attend the reunion. From all accounts, Bob is really a star on the diamond. Two more couples join this group—Major and Mrs. Bob Clevenger and Lieutenant and Mrs. Bill Pittman. The girls are the former Emogene Burns and Alice Manifold respectively. They both reside in Georgia, and they were flown here with their husbands by courtesy of the United States Air Force. The girls are talking about the newest Broadway musical, "Leave It to Willy," staged and directed by Forrest Ray Cisle, with vivacious Bernice Wilhelm playing the comedy lead opposite Kenneth Heitfield.

What a reunion! All our former faithful classmates are here for the occasion, and we are proud to note the general air of happiness and success among the members of the Class of 1950.

CLASS WILL

We, the Senior Class of 1950, being on this day and this day only in a sensible and sober state of mind, do hereby will and bequeath the valuables and otherwise which we have acquired during our twelve years of learning at this intellectual institution. We further declare this to be our last will and testament.

I, JACK BACHMAN, leave my reasons for getting the whole class mad at me to Jerry Miller.

I, CAROL BAKER, leave my power of persuasion for getting the car to Don Morris.

I, JEANNE BRATER, leave my natural curly hair to Dorothy Perpingon.

I, EMOGENE BURNS, leave my quick temper to Jerry Schneider.

I, MARTHA BUELL, leave to be with Fred. (Do you blame me?)

I, FORREST RAY CISLE, leave my dancing ability to anyone who can use it.

I, MARIAN COOKE, leave my service to the school to Jeannette McCalley, who is doing her share already.

I, JOAN ENGEL, leave my cheerleading outfit to next year's cheerleaders.

I, MARY ANN ESCHENBRENNER, leave, but take with me all my arguments with Buck.

I, BETTY GLAUB, leave.

I, RALPH GUENTHER, leave my brains for the further betterment of the school. I won't need them anymore; I'm taking Mary Ann with me.

I, ED HACKER, leave my short school hours and long working hours to Bill Fraley.

I, DOUGLAS HARRIS, leave my small stature to Don Hagan.

I, KENNETH HEITFIELD, leave my friendly manner to certain Junior girls.

I, DOROTHY HILTON, leave my black, curly hair to Nancy Crane.

I, BOB LANDES, leave my knowledge of sports to the future high scorers of current events tests.

I, ALICE MANIFOLD, leave my speaking ability to Wayne Schlichter.

I, JEAN McCALLEY, leave my baton to Margie Burns, in case she learns to twirl two at a time.

I, JAMES MEEKER, leave all my energy to Vernon Lewis.

I, PAT MEHL, leave my ability to be absent three days a week to Doug Hughes, who can't get by with one.

I, CHRISTINA MEYERS, leave my job as head librarian to anyone who wants a headache.

I, JOHN PACKER, leave my ability in basketball to all the future stars at Ross.

I, DON PATTON, leave my will power to reform to any naughty little boy.

I, BILL PHILLIPS, leave my ability to leave home at 8:36 and get to school by 8:40, to anyone who can beat my Chevrolet.

I, JIM STOKLEY, leave my quiet manner to Charlotte Moore.

I, JEAN TOLLEY, leave my ability to go steady for three years with the same person to Patty McCreadie.

I, JUNE TOLLEY, leave, but will continue to go on one date a week with Louie.

I, SHIRLEY TOLLEY, leave Judy, my horse, to the glue factory.

I, NANCY WHITE, leavy my cast to Mercy Hospital. They can keep it.

I, BERNICE WILHELM, leave my ability to play basketball to Faye Etta Glaub.

BACCALAUREATE

Sunday, May 21, 1950, 8:00 P. M.

PROGRAM

Processional	"March from Athalia" (Mendelssohn)	*Mr. Stanley Rowland*
Invocation		
Hymn	Oh Worship the King (Haydn)	*Audience*
Scripture Reading		
Music	A Mighty Fortress Is Our God (Luther-Howorth) Oh Lord Most Holy (Franck) This Is My Father's World (Babcock-Ringwald)	*High School Chorus*
Class Sermon		*Rev. Carl Landes* Shandon Congregational Church
Music	The Lord's Prayer (Malotte) Seek Ye The Lord (Roberts) (Tenor Solo — *Mr. Stanley Rowland*)	*Girls' F. H. A. Double Sextette*
Hymn	Faith of Our Fathers (Walton)	*Audience*
Benediction		
Recessional	Recessional March (Rousseau)	*Mr. Stanley Rowland*

COMMENCEMENT

Wednesday, May 24, 1950, 8:00 P. M.

PROGRAM

Processional	Pomp and Circumstance	*Mr. Stanley Rowland*
Invocation		
Music	The Night Has A Thousand Eyes (Cain)	*Girls' F. H. A. Double Sextette*
Announcement of Award of Recognition		*Mr. Fred Finkbine*
Presentation of Class Gift		*Jack Bachman* President of Class
Music	As Off To The South'ard We Go (Bartholomew)	*Boys' Ensemble*
Introduction of Speaker		*Mr. Fred T. Finkbine* Superintendent of School
Class Address	"The Pessimistic Optimist"	*Albert Crombie* Lecturer, Author — Columbus
Certification of Class		*Mrs. J. A. Wildman* Senior Class Advisor
Presentation of Diplomas		*Mr. Albert Wiseman* President, Board of Education
Music	Evening Song (Norvik) You'll Never Walk Alone (Rodgers-Ringwald)	*High School Mixed Ensemble*
Alma Mater		*Senior Class and Audience*
Benediction		
Recessional	March From Aida	*Mr. Stanley Rowland*

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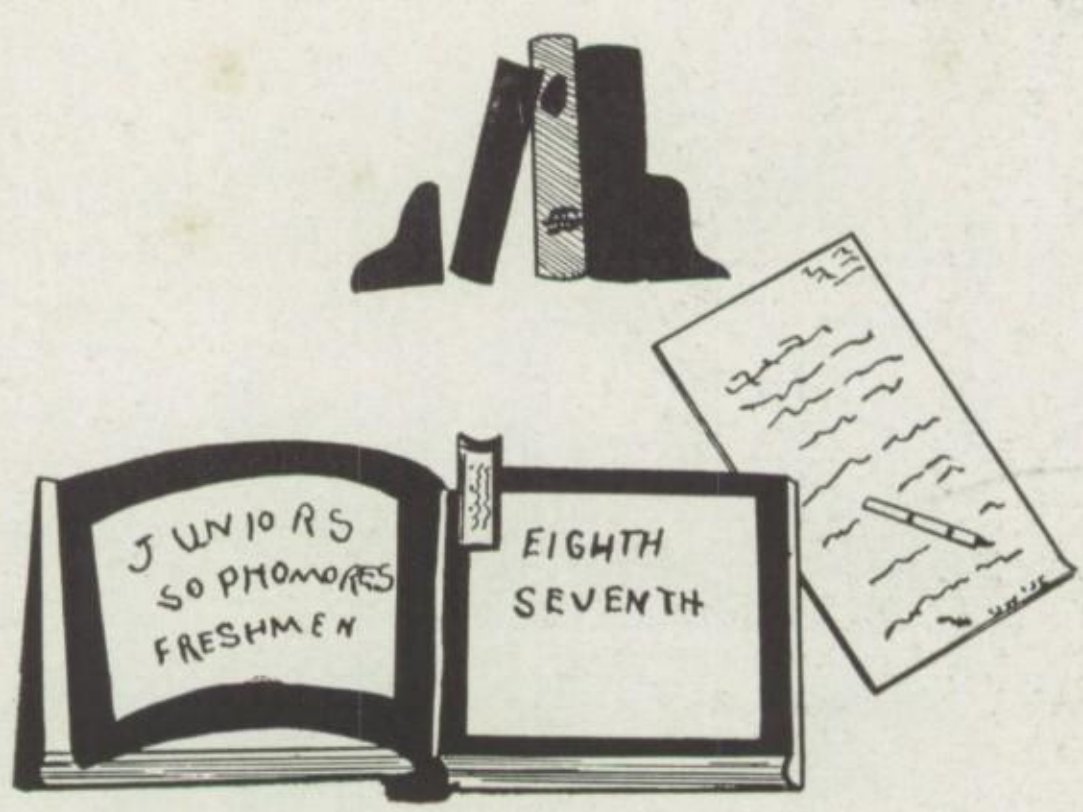

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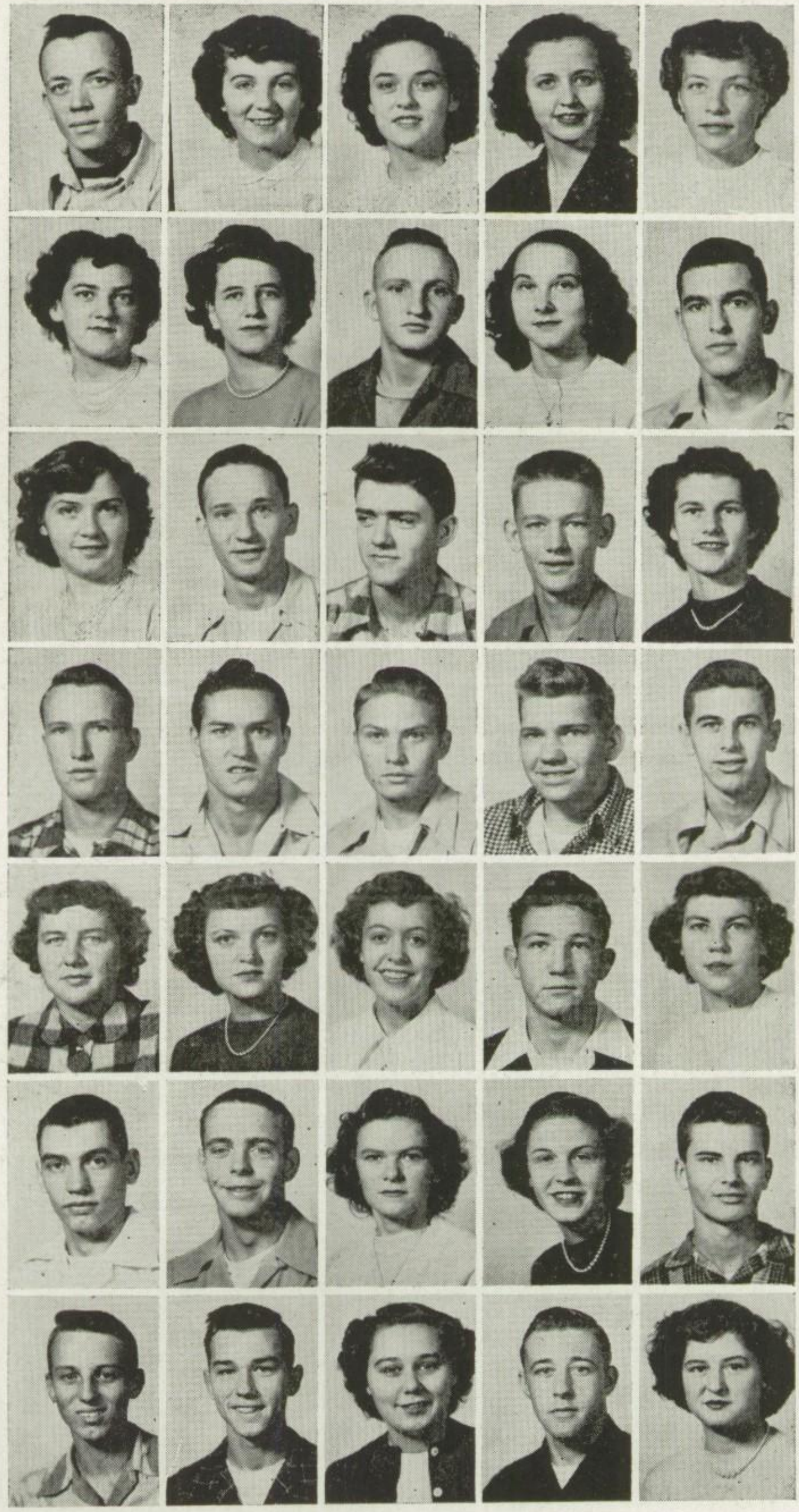
JUNIOR CLASS



ABOVE, left to right: Dale Shaw, Lloyd Stander, Leonard Stokley, Kay Van Cleve, Don Wilson.

OPPOSITE, row one, left to right: Carl Allen, Jerry Batcher, Nettie Jane Blankenship, Carolyn Brackney, Violet Brater.
Row two: Betty Bryant, Roberta Cain, Curtis Campbell, Maxine Colwell, Bill Fraley.
Row three. Irene Frazee, Dick Geisler, Frank Gillespie, Herrmann Grafner, T-Anne Greschel.
Row four: Don Hagan, David Hilton, James Hoover, Douglas Hughes, Vernon Lewis.
Row five: Joan Lodder, Clydene Matheney, Jeanette McCalley, James McNamara, Joan Meeker.
Row six: Don Miller, Jerry Miller, Charlotte Moore, Virginia Robinson, Clifford Ross.
Row seven: Wayne Schlicter, Jerry Schneider, Ruth Schneider, Glen Sefton, Maxine Settle.

JUNIOR PLAY CAST

Row one, left to right: Jerry Miller, Clydene Matheny, Jeannette McCalley, Virginia Robinson, Carolyn Brackney, Hermann Grafner, Mrs. Parker.
Row two: Irene Frazee, Glenn Sefton, Don Hagan, James McNamara, Alberta Jones.

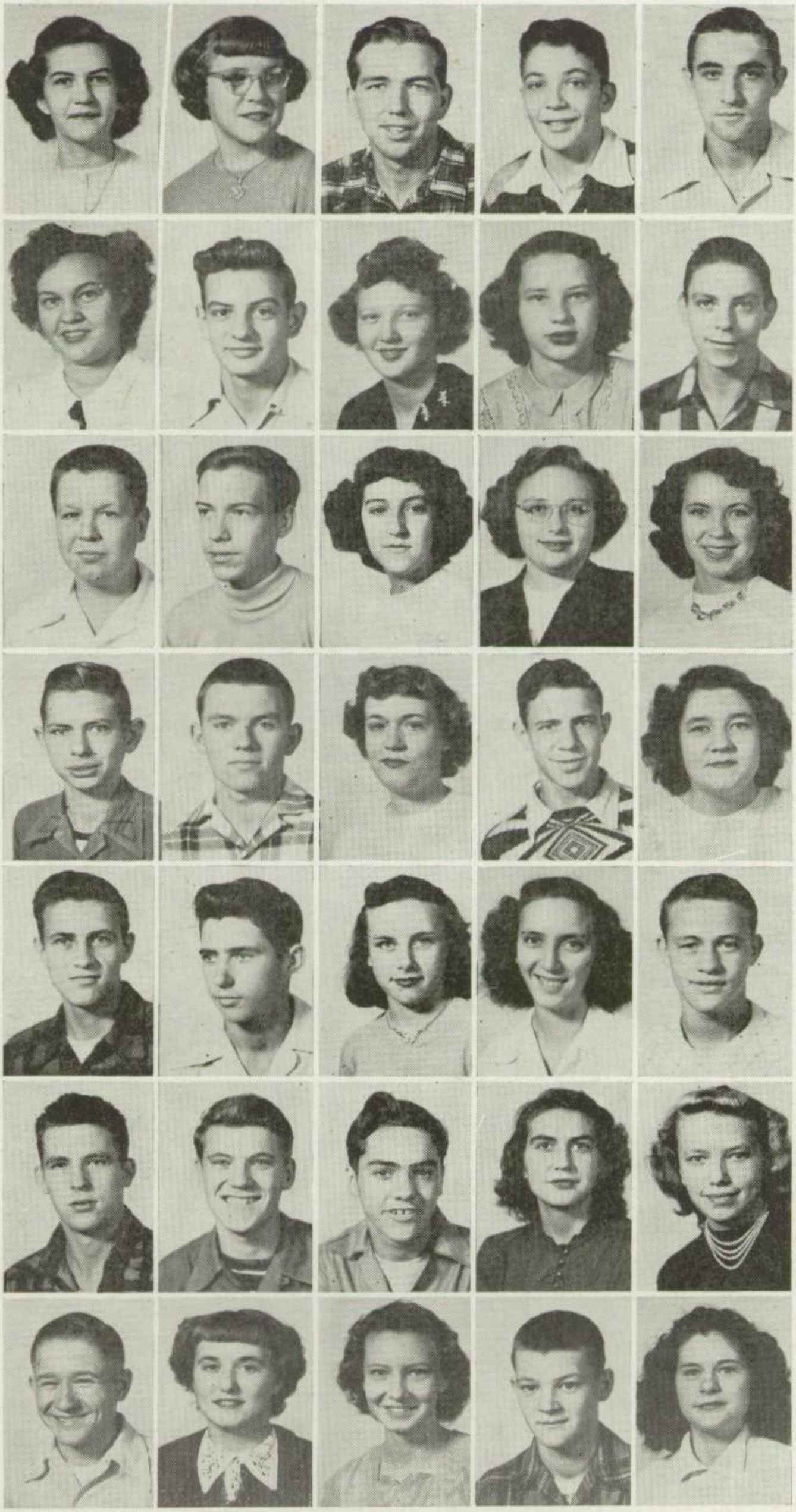
SIXTEEN IS SPRING

On Friday evening, March 17, 1950, the Junior Class under the direction of Mrs. Maralyn Parker presented the play, "Sixteen Is Spring".

The cast consisted of Jeanette McCalley, Virginia Robinson, Alberta Jones, Clydene Matheny, Carol Brackney, Irene Frazee, James McNamara, Jerry Miller, Herrmann Grafner, Don Hagan, and Glenn Sefton.

The play centered around the movie struck daughter who wanted to go to Hollywood for a screen test. The so-called talent scout, later recognized as an escaped nut chose her mother by mistake. This all added up when the daughter got the mumps, and pop was left to celebrate his birthday alone. But finally the family is reconciled and pop has his party with all the trimmings.

SOPHOMORES



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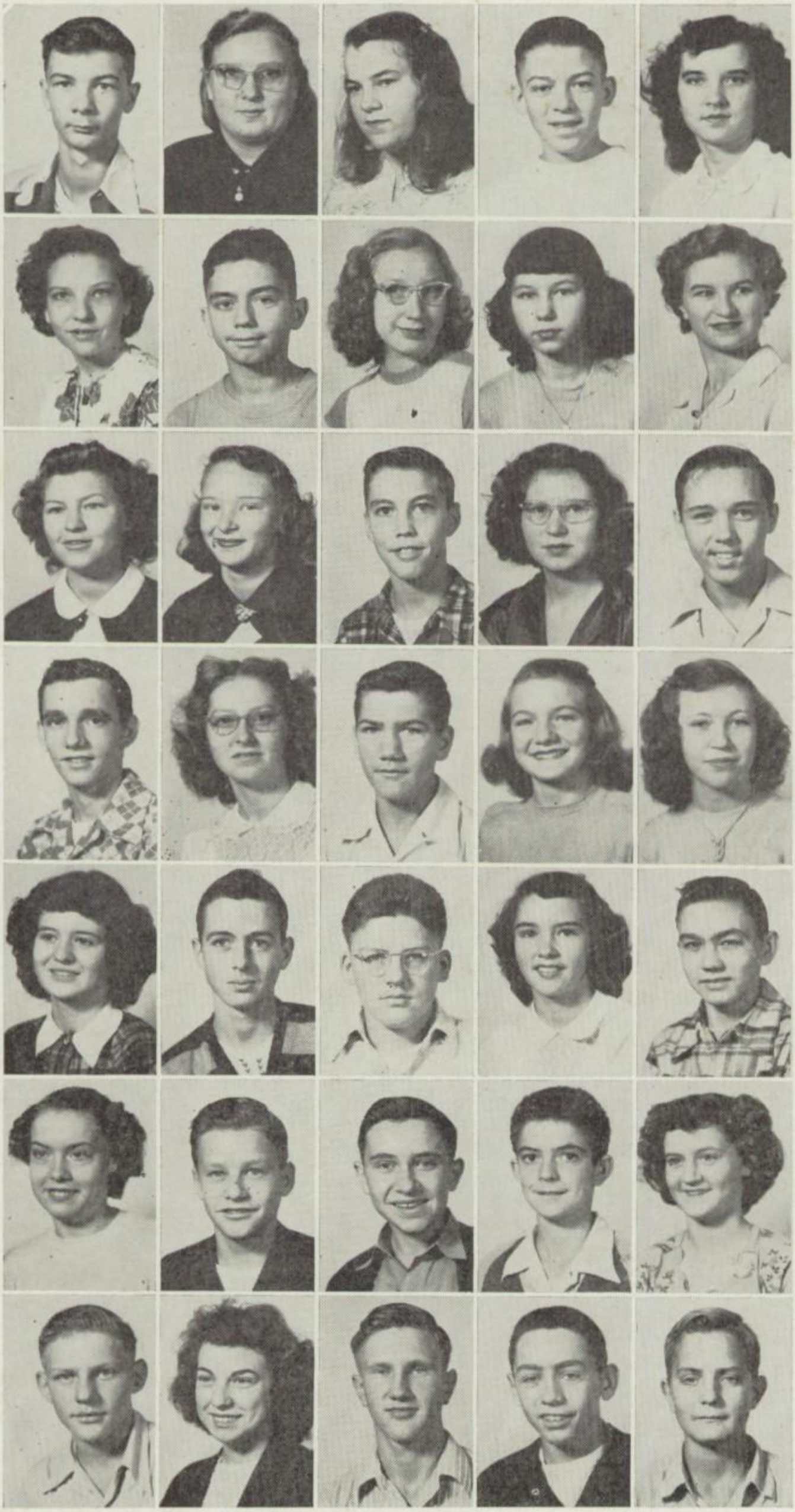
Row two: Dorothy Endress, Johnny Engel, Virginia Fletcher, Betty Franzmann, Joe Hacker.
Row three: Jack Heck, Ray Hoskins, Patty Gardner, Marilyn Gast, Shirley Hunter.
Row four: Earl Isaccs, Dale Jamison, Chelsa Jones, Charles Kimble, Elfrieda Landes.
Row five: Floyd Matheny, Don Morris, Mary Lou Morris, Dorothy Perpingon, Lowel Petry.
Row six: Paul Rice, George Sauer, Surtis Sears, Donna Strickler, Jean Thompson.
Row seven: Terry Tillery, Margie Turner, Juanita Van Cleve, Kenneth Vaughn, Francis White.

FRESHMEN



ABOVE, row one, left to right: Gloria Nogle, Joy Nogle, Dale Norvell, Jack Phillips, Mary Ann Schradin.

Row two, left to right: Harry Schwartz, Jack Stamper, Patsy Stemmer, Bill Stokley, Ann Thompson.
Row three, left to right: Joan Tolley, Gayle Weber, Genevieve Williams, Patty Woganstahl, Roy Wolfe.

PRECEDING PAGE, row one, left to right: Bob Bober, Geraldine Bond, Alice Brisbin, Ralph Bryant, Mary Louise Colwell.
Row two, left to right: Mary Cook, Johnny Cornett, Nancy Crane, Rosemary DeLong, Eleanor Cone.
Row three, left to right: Martha Endress, Marlene Fletcher, Gordon Fox, Fayetta Glaub, Eldon Green.

Row four, left to right: Floyd Harris, Grace Hilton, Mark Huesing, Mary Lou Huesing, Joyce Hunter.

Row five, left to right: Vivian Hymer, Eugene Isaacs, Boyd Jenkins, Mary Jane Johnson, Don Jones.
Row six, left to right: Dorothy Jones, Jack Keller, Howard Lapp, Jimmy Leugers, Mary Margaret Lewis.

Row seven, left to right: Sonny Lodder, Patty McCreadie, Floyd Meyers, Glenn Miller, Arthur Minges.

GRADE EIGHT

Row one, left to right: John Du Vall, Jackie Batcher, Irene Rogers, Barbara Murphy, Beverly Knaus, Norma Shaw, Betty Bowman, Reba Sears, Lillian Whitaker, Arthur Hoffmann, Mrs. Wildman.
Row two: Ralph Vaughn, Richard Van Cleve, Ray Wolf, Kenneth Jeffrey, Don Lohr, Imogene Kehr, Wava Gadd, Nola Hesselbrock, Marlene Warren, Gary Shaw, James Colborn.
Row three: Molly Miller, Barbara Willis, Norma Ramsey, Doris Kennedy, Clarence Ross, George Gabbard, Hobert Cheek, Eugene Falk, Jim Sefton, Lois Perpingon, Gloria Dailey, Jewel Brooks.

SEVENTH GRADE

Row one, left to right: Miss Etter, Walter Sheyer, Ralph Bunger, Eldon Burns, Gary Falkenstein, Mary Finley, Jeanette Tracy, Sylvia Davis, Bernice Endress, Doris Fox, Jean Barrett, George Matheny, Gordon Hacker, Larry Wolf, Walter Morris, Mr. Rowland.
Row two: James Parsley, Bob McDonald, Raymond Massey, Jim Wessel, Shelby Harris, Nancy Deering, Arlene Reidel, Nancy Butterfield, Mary M. Lewis, Marjorie Crane, Margie Campbell, Dick West, Alfred Rhodes, Wayne Shaw, Jay Smith, Bob Hicks.
Row three: Joe Cain, Don Meyers, Virgil Perkins, Jeanette Brandenburg, Ruth Maddox, Jill Wilson, Barbara Barker, Carol Depew, Judy Lohr, Nancy Jo Burns, Sammy Hall, June Andes, Charleston Kreibel, Sam Latham, Tom Anders, George Gabriel.

JUNIOR CLASS

As the school year of 1949-50 opened, the Juniors were ready to return. There were subjects such as shorthand, typing and chemistry that required a lot of hard studying to keep up with assignments. We managed to do it somehow.

We received our well designed class rings after our much impatient waiting some time in September.

The Juniors started their year off by making money selling pencils. One thousand pencils were ordered with the basketball schedule on them. The sales were good and all pencils were sold.

On December 16, we gave our class dance which was a success. Many attended and everybody had a nice time.

The Juniors selected the play, "SIXTEEN IS SPRING" as their class play. It was presented in March before a large audience.

Then their day finally came! May 5, the day they all were waiting for—Junior-Senior Prom—The auditorium was beautifully decorated. Every Junior and Senior was excited and enjoyed a glorious evening.

We have had a very good year and hope that our Senior year will be as enjoyable and successful.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

At our first meeting we elected the following officers:

President ..... Lowell Petry
Vice President ..... Paul Rice
Secretary ..... Jim Doss
Treasurer ..... Marilyn Gast

We began the year with high hopes and the determination to make a success of it. We feel we have done so to the best of our ability. We held a party in the Millville Hall and it was greatly enjoyed by all who attended. During the year, we lost some old members but gained some new ones. The girls visited the Food Locker, Sealtest, and Duff's Mix. This trip was both interesting and educational. I think the one thing we have looked forward to the most was the ordering of our class rings. We wish to thank Mr. Lunsford for his help in making this such a successful year for the Sophomores.

FRESHMEN

September 6, 1949—the big day. Everyone hurried to school and last year's eighth graders became green Freshmen.

Our first big job was electing class officers which were as follows:

President ..... Bob Bober
Vice President ..... Ralph Bryant
Secretary ..... Eleanor Cone
Treasurer ..... Jack Stamper

Football cheerleaders were chosen and two members of our class were elected—Mary Jane Johnson and Joy Nogle. Next came basketball, and again our class was represented by one member—this time, Joy Nogle.

Thanksgiving arrived and the Freshmen Class put on a play, "Grapes For Dinner," for the Thanksgiving assembly.

We celebrated Christmas with a party in Mrs. Parker's room the last day of school for 1949. Boo Hoo!

On January 3, 1950, we greeted our friends and settled down to the old routine.

February and Valentine's Day were greeted with a class party in the Millville Hall.

Freshman attendant for the May Queen is to be Joy Nogle.

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Elementary

SIXTH GRADE

Row one, left to right: Mrs. Emerick, Herman Hoover, Tom Williams, Leonard Stamper, Lynn Lewis, Ronnie Carmack, Tommy Brown, James Keller, Orville Perkins, Patty Morehouse, Margie Burns, Jim Houser, Billy Barnett, Marion Moore, Sherman Hoover, Miss Weilhamer.
Row two: Henry Gardner, Tommy Burns, Lerey Moore, Ronald Baker, Robert Bowman, Jerry Cole, Roberta Hymer, Charlotte Drehbiel, Myrtle Green, Carol Tozzer, Hazel Swartz, Sara Turner, Lester McConnell, Danny Hogan, Don Witte.
Row three: Carol Stander, Janice Loman, Agnes Brown, Eleanor Diening, Janice Dnause, Jeralyn Strickler, Carol Patton, Rita Hesselbrock, Dorothy Stewart, Hurshel Whited, Nathan Crane, Robert Bolser.

GRADE FIVE

Row one, left to right: Mrs. Kleinfelder, Gilbert Carr, Wayne Bolser, Carroll Taylor, Neil Sohngen, Violet Carr, Margaret Hoskins, Anna Bunger, Jacqueline Loman, Carrie Brown, Geneva Bales, Joann Smith, Ruth Ann Hughes, Mary Margaret Hasenbein, Ed Campbell, Dale Tracy, Ronnie Wilson, Warren Merrill, Miss Weilhamer.
Second row: Jerry Hacker, Don Geisler, Albert Cheek, James Schroder, Mary Ann Moore, Maxine Shaw, Patsy Phillips, Barbara Engel, Alberta Cheek, Janet Glaub, Wilma Meyers, Ronnie Huff, Maurice Murphey, Andrew Rogers, Denver Perkins.
Row three: Richard Massey, William Allen, Albert Bowling, James Meredith, Dean Harris, Sandra Warren, Joyce Rich, Joan Harding, Patricia Keller, Norma Bitter, Richard Parrett.

FOURTH GRADE

Row one, left to right: Dwayne Casteel, Tim Nogle, Jean Morris, Robert Moore, Tom Keller, Gary Landrum, Phyllis McKee, Ilene Goforth, Mildred Morehouse, Barbara List, Linda Dailey, Joyce Stamper, Sandra Merrill, Mrs. Wiggins.
Row two, left to right: Homer Evans, Donald Clemmons, James Walton, Ronald Stokley, John Evans, David Lewis, Freddie Lewis, Danny Thompson, Janice Troutman, Vera Scarborough, Wanda Ander, Larry Smith.
Row three, left to right: Sandra Smith, Francis Cheek, Robert Hogan, Carol Kimble, Bonnie Gausman, Charlene Petry, Naomi Bond, Dwayne Parsley, Robert McConnell, James Bond, John Ittel, Ted Crawford.

THIRD GRADE

Row one, left to right: Herschel Bolser, Janet Cook, Ann Leugers, Corliss Chapman, Michael Cornett, Lorenze Morehouse, Saundra Webb, Judy Bowman, Diane Richards, Patricia Stidham, Linda Treadway, Frances Loman, Jerry Smith, Kay Hamilton, Carlla Knaus, Daren Hasting, Phyllis Bales, Phyllis Hoover, Connie Harris.
Row two: Mrs. Quinlan, Eddie Little, David Anglin, Henry Bunger, Susan Hostetler, Bertha Endress, Anita Cash, Robert Briede, Carl Swartz, Barbara McConnell, Eileen Fletcher, Barbara Bailey, Mary Stang, Lois Van Cleve, Merle DePew, Billy Bomman, Andrew Wagster, Joyce Stidham, Judy Isaacs, Bonnie Landrum, Sherry Carpenter, Mrs. Evans.
Row three: Donnie Dickinson, John Brannon, Floyd Cormican, David Warren, Michael Allen, Bobbie Zimmerman, Okey Buell, Dick Wiseman, Larry Shepherd, Wayne Gleason, Paul Perkins, Robert Patton, Curtis Parrett, Jim Fuchs, Melvin Shaw, Jean Cordes, Patricia Bishop.

SECOND GRADE

Row one, left to right: Miss Sauerbeck, Ronald Chapman, Nancy Brater, Jo Ann DuVall, Shirley Bertram Jimmie Brown, Billy Herzog, Billy McCalley, Leroy Tragesser, Douglas Tillery, Billy Sefton, Sandy Sue Stidham, Brenda Jo Shaw, Barbara Loman, Vertis Lewis, Charles Carr, Danny Huffman, Gordon Merrill, Frank Callagan, Miss Spaulding.

Second row: Susan Reiner, Donna Lipps, Dean Hacker, Patty Adams, Joyce Meyers, Jerry Hymer, Robert Bausch, Dale Witte, Sandy Houser, Ann Beyers, Jean Gifford, Carol Bober, Timothy Seward, Melvin McCreadie, Stephen Crutcher, Charles Lagedrost, Billy Oyler.

Row three: Lois Falkenstein, Lillian Lewis, Carol Settle, Margie Willis, Charles Johnson, Eugene Bundy, Cynthia Meier, Charles Parrett, Tommy Teeters, Monica Diening, Ronald Sheyer, Peggy Rose, Danny Hon, Martin Bales, Mark Bowman, Nancy Hartsock, Joy Buell.

FIRST GRADE

Row one, left to right: Jerry Louise Jones, Mary Ellen Hamilton, Danny Watkins, Earl Cochran, Alvin Stamper, Doris Casteel, Eugene Williams, Ronny Huffman, Karen Kees, Lily Bunger, Phyllis Bolser, Jerry Leugers, Charles Cheek, Donna Statzer, Gary Dittman, Lawrence Stidham, Peggy Jo Morris, Philip Teeters, Gary Bales.

Row two, left to right: Janet Corless, Hugh Cormican, Jimmy Bailey, David Stidham, Tommy Cornette, Loren Johnson, Carlton Haley, Vernon Bond, Agnes Mehl, Sandra Doerr, Jimmy Callahan, Dorothy List, Janet Carberry, Ruth Ann Wright, Judy Rae Hoskins, Sherrill Carpenter, Robert Van Cleve, Earl Smith, Juanita Winn, Frank Hudson, John Williams.

Row three, left to right: Mrs. Fogarty, Dale McKee, Don Perkins, Buford Butts, David Clemmons, Robert Dailey, Charles Stidham, Alfred Schroeder, Calvin Meyers, Cynthia Hoffman, Lawrence Williams, Billy Anglin, Linda Shepherd, Birdella Tackett, Karen Meier, Fritz Franzman, Charles Moore, Judith Schwab, Doronna Golden, Donald Wullenweber, Mrs. Schaefer.

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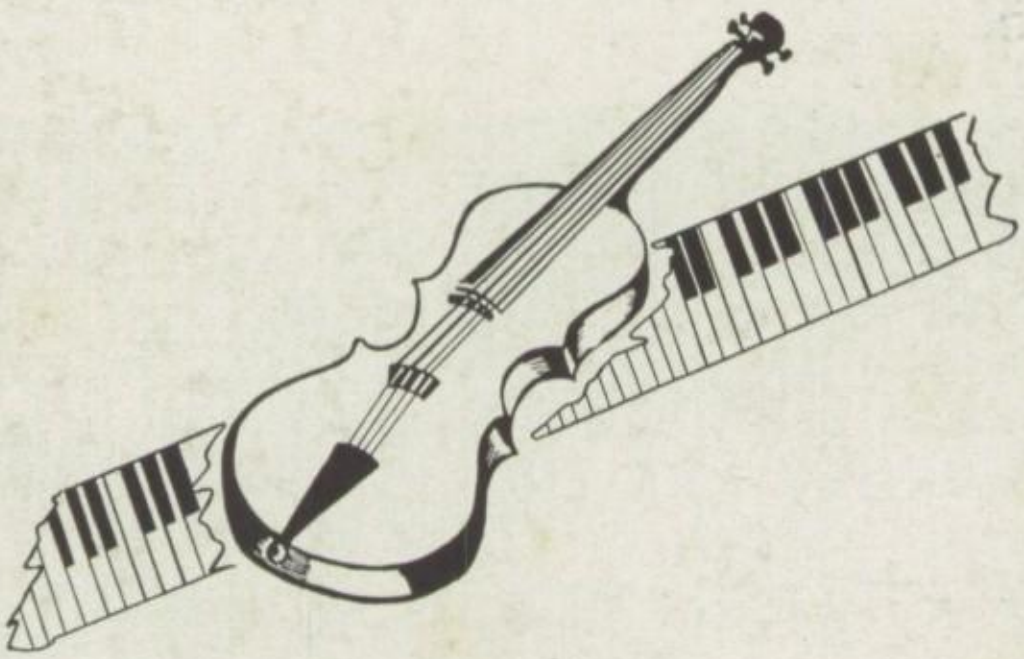

Activities

STUDENT COUNCIL

Seated: Mr. Finkbine, advisor; Joan Engel, secretary; Jerry Schneider, president; Martha Buell, vice president; Don Morris.
Standing: Glen Sefton, Frances White, Grace Hilton, Norma Ramsey, Judy Lohr, Bill Phillips.

ANNUAL STAFF

Row one, left to right: Jeanne Brater, Dorothy Hilton, Christina Meyers, Alice Manifold, Nancy Lee White, Marian Cooke, Emogene Burns, Mary Ann Eschenbrenner, Martha Buell, June Tolley, Jean Tolley.
Row two: Mrs. Wildman, advisor; Bob Landes, Jim Stokley, Bill Phillips, Jack Bachman, Jean McCalley, Dorothy Zimmerman, Patty Mehl, Shirley Tolley, Bernice Wilhelm.
Row three: Frank McNamara, Don Patton, Jim Meeker, John Packer, Ralph Guenther, Kenneth Heitfield, Forrest Cisle, Joan Engel, Carol Baker.

F.F.A.

Seated: Arthur Minges, James Hoover, Forest Ray Cisle, Don Morris, Carl Allen, Jack Bachman, Wayne Schlichter, Frank Gillespie, Robert Westfall, Advisor, Terry Tillery, Don Jones.
Standing: Mark Huesing, Eugene Issacs, Don Zimmerman, Bill Bommer, Lowel Petry, Earl Issacs, Dale Shaw, Clifford Ross, Joe Hacker.

HONOR SOCIETY

Row one, left to right: Nancy White, Jeanette McCalley, Nettie Jane Blankenship, Mrs. Wildman.
Row two, left to right: Vernon Lewis, Lloyd Stander, Marian Cooke, Jean McCalley, Virginia Robinson, Jack Bachman, Bill Phillips.

MAY COURT

Kneeling: Curtis Parrett, Bobbie Bausch, Edward Williams.
Second row, left to right: Barbara List, Martha Buell, queen, Joy Buell.
Row three, left to right: Mary Lou Morris, Lowell Petry, Jean Tolley, Jim Meeker, Wayne Schlichter, Carolyn Brackney, Bob Bober, Joy Nogle.

SAFETY COUNCIL

Row one, left to right: Miss Weilhamer, Walter Morris, Jeanette Tracy, Don Witte, Janet Glaub, Rita Hesselbrock, Joan Harding, Donny Clemens, Janice Troutman, Neil Sohngen, Doris Fox, Mary Lou Morris, Eldon Burns, Mrs. Parker.
Row two: Richard Van Cleve, Bill Stokley, Mary Ann Schradin, Mary Lou Huesing, Nola Hesselbrock, Ray Hoskins, Herrmann Grafner, John Packer, Dave Hilton, Carol Baker, Carolyn Brackney, Joanna Meeker, Johnny Cornett.

HI-Y

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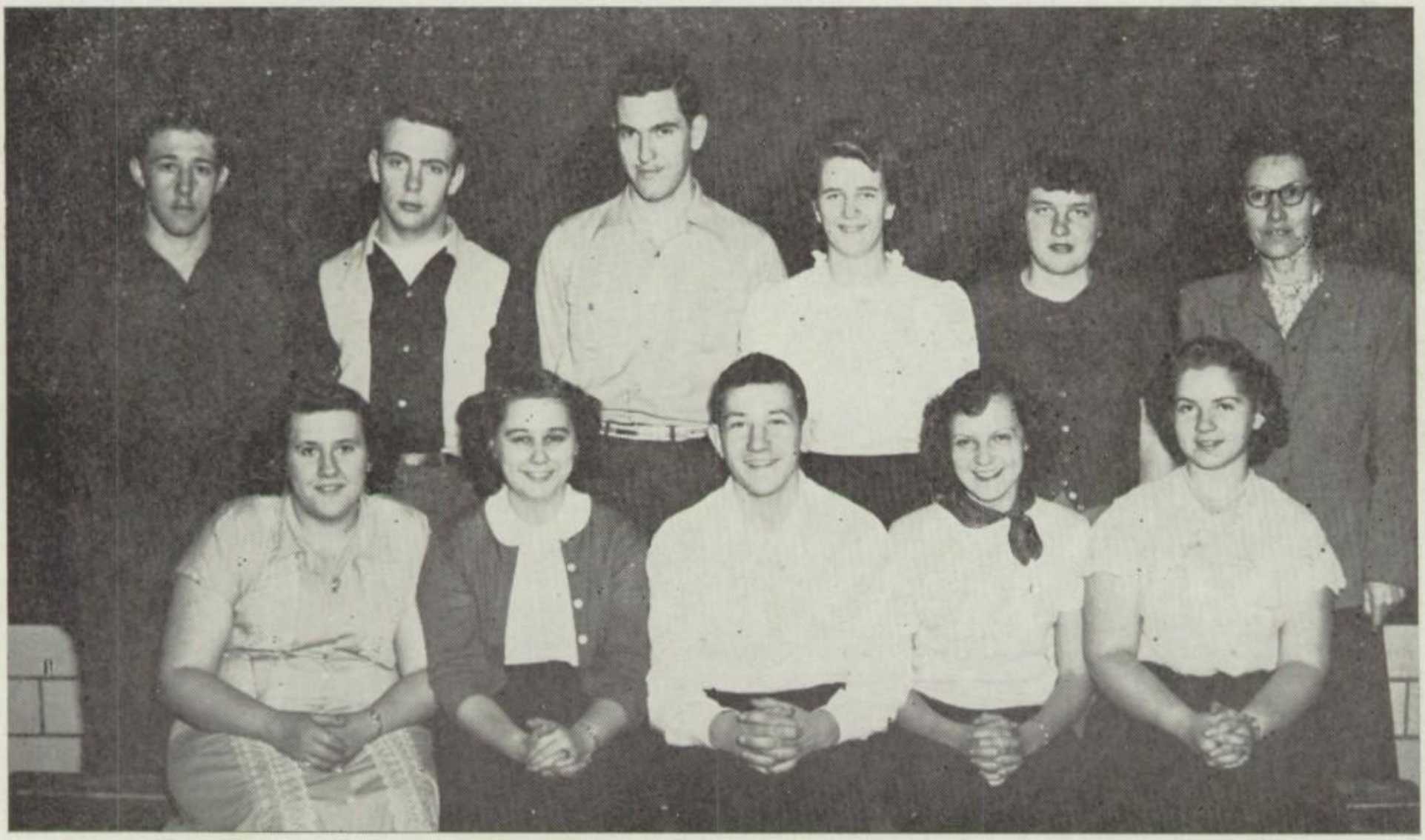
Row two, left to right: Mr. Cleaver, Clifford Ross, Bill Bommer, Forrest Cisle, Frank Gillespie, Dick Geisler, Floyd Strack, Don Zimmerman, David Hilton, Kenneth Heitfield, Douglas Harris, Ed Potts, Floyd Harris, Bill Phillips, Mr. Westfall.
Row three, left to right: Harry Schwartz, Jack Keller, Dale Norvell, Bill Stokley, Elmer Lodder, Arthur Minges, Mark Huesing, Howard Lapp, Ray Hoskins, Joe Hacker, Jim Leugers, Glenn Miller, Lloyd Stander, Jack Bachman.

DRAMATICS CLUB



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Row two, left to right: Glen Sefton, Jerry Miller, Bill Fraley, Roberta Cain, Joan Lodder, Mrs. Greschel.

F.T.A.

Seated: Bernice Endress, Betty Glaub, Ruth Schneider, Jean McCalley, Betty Franzmann, Margie Andes, Joanne Ryan, Maxine Colwell,
Standing: Elfrieda Landes, Carol Brackney, Clydene Matheny, Curtis Sears, Jim McNamara, Joe Hacker, Roberta Cain, Irene Frazee, Fred Finkbine, advisor.

F.H.A.

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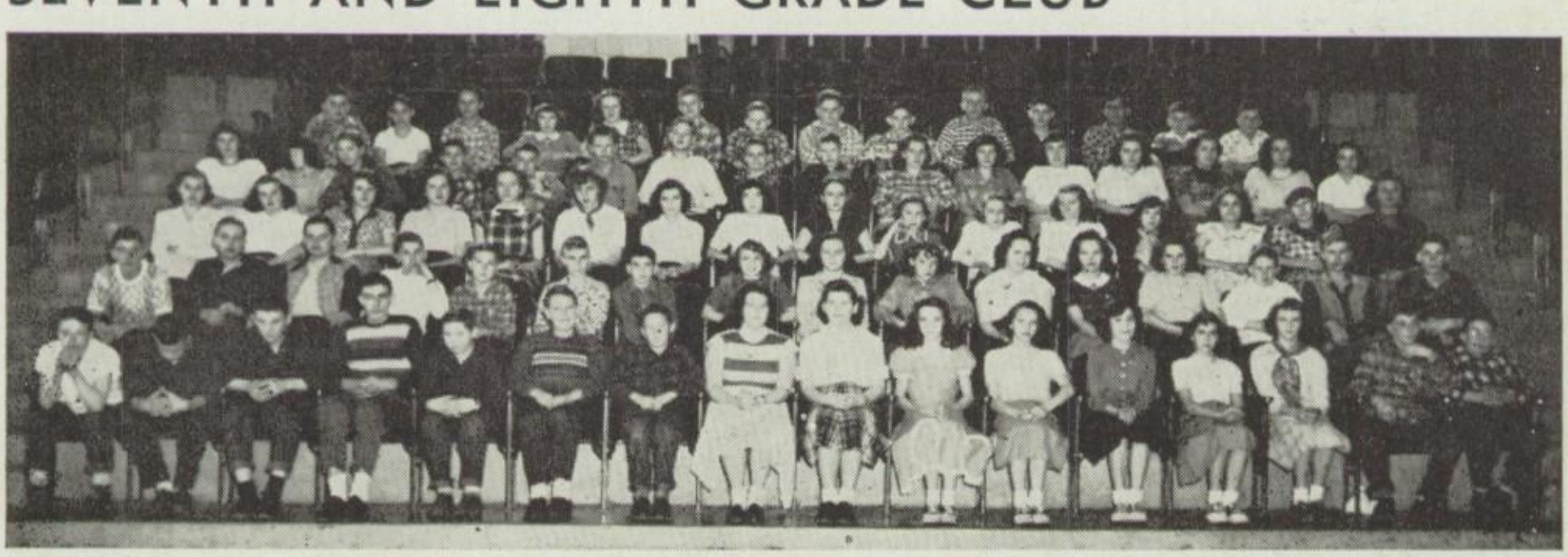
Row four: Elfrieda Landes, Song Leader; Nancy White, News Reporter; Marilyn Gast, Secretary; Irene Frazee, Vice President; Jean McCalley, President; Shirley Tolley, Parlimentarian; Betty Bryant, Treasurer; Margie Turner, Historian.

ROSS RAYS

Row one: Janith Barker, Margie Turner, Genevieve Williams, Alice Manifold, Harry Falk, Virginia Robinson, Joan Engel, Miss Lindsey, advisor, Marian Cooke, Jeanette McCalley, Shirley Tolley, Carol Baker, Bernice Wilhelm, Hermann Grafner, Glen Sefton, Boyd Jenkins. Row two: Harry Schwartz, Ralph Bryant, Bob Bober, Johnny Cornett, Jerry Miller, Douglas Hughes, June Tolley, Jean Tolley, Vivian Hymer, Roberta Cain, Pat Woganstahl, Ann Thompson, Dorothy Jones, Mary Ann Schradin, Eleanor Cone, Patsy Stemmer. Row three: Pat Mehl, Kay Van Cleve, Ruth Schneider, Dorothy Perpingon, Chelsa Jones, Mary Ann Eschenbrenner, Martha Buell, Emogene Burns, Juanita Van Cleve, Jean Thompson, Elfrieda Landes, Maxine Settle, T-Anne Greschel, Nancy Crane, Alice Brisbin, Joyce Hunter. Row four: Nancy White, Jean McCalley, Gayle Weber, Joy Nogle, Mary Jane Johnson, Betty Franzmann, Lowell Petry, Terry Tillery, Curtis Campbell, Leonard Stokley, Don Hagan, Carolyn Brackney, Clydene Matheny, Violet Brater, Joanne Ryan, Marilyn Gast. Row five: Joan Tolley, Gloria Nogle, Mary Lou Huesing, Joanne Meeker, Betty Bryant, Alberta Jones, Charlotte Moore, Dorothy Hilton, Maxine Colwell, Christina Meyers, Marlene Fletcher.

SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE CLUB



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Row two: Ray Wolf, James Colburn, Gary Shaw, Clarence Ross, George Gabriel, Barney Beckemeir, Jeanette Tracy, Jill Wilson, Mary Lewis, Molly Miller, Doris Kennedy, Norma Ramsey, George Matheny, Hobert Cheek, Virgil Perkins.
Row three: Mrs. Parker, Norma Shaw, Lillian Whitaker, Marlene Warren, Nola Hesselbrock, Lois Perpingon, Barbara Murphy, June Andes, Jeanette Brandenburg, Jean Barret, Nancy Crane, Sammy Hall, Sylvia Davis, Bernice Endress, Shirley Combs, Mrs. Fallanca.
Row four: Jewel Brooks, Jackie Batcher, Irene Rogers, Gordon Hacker, Gary Falkenstein, Joe Cain, Sam Latham, James Parsley, Dick West, Nancy Butterfield, Judy Lohr, Joyce Jones, Ruth Maddox, Barbara Barker, Carol Depew, Shelby Harris.
Row five: Wayne Shaw, Walter Sheyer, Tom Anders, Doris Fox, Marjorie Campbell, Wayne Tolley, Robert Tillery, Alfred Rhodus, Bob McDonald, Don Meyers, Jay Smith, Raymond Massey, Irvin Wilhelm, Larry Wolf.

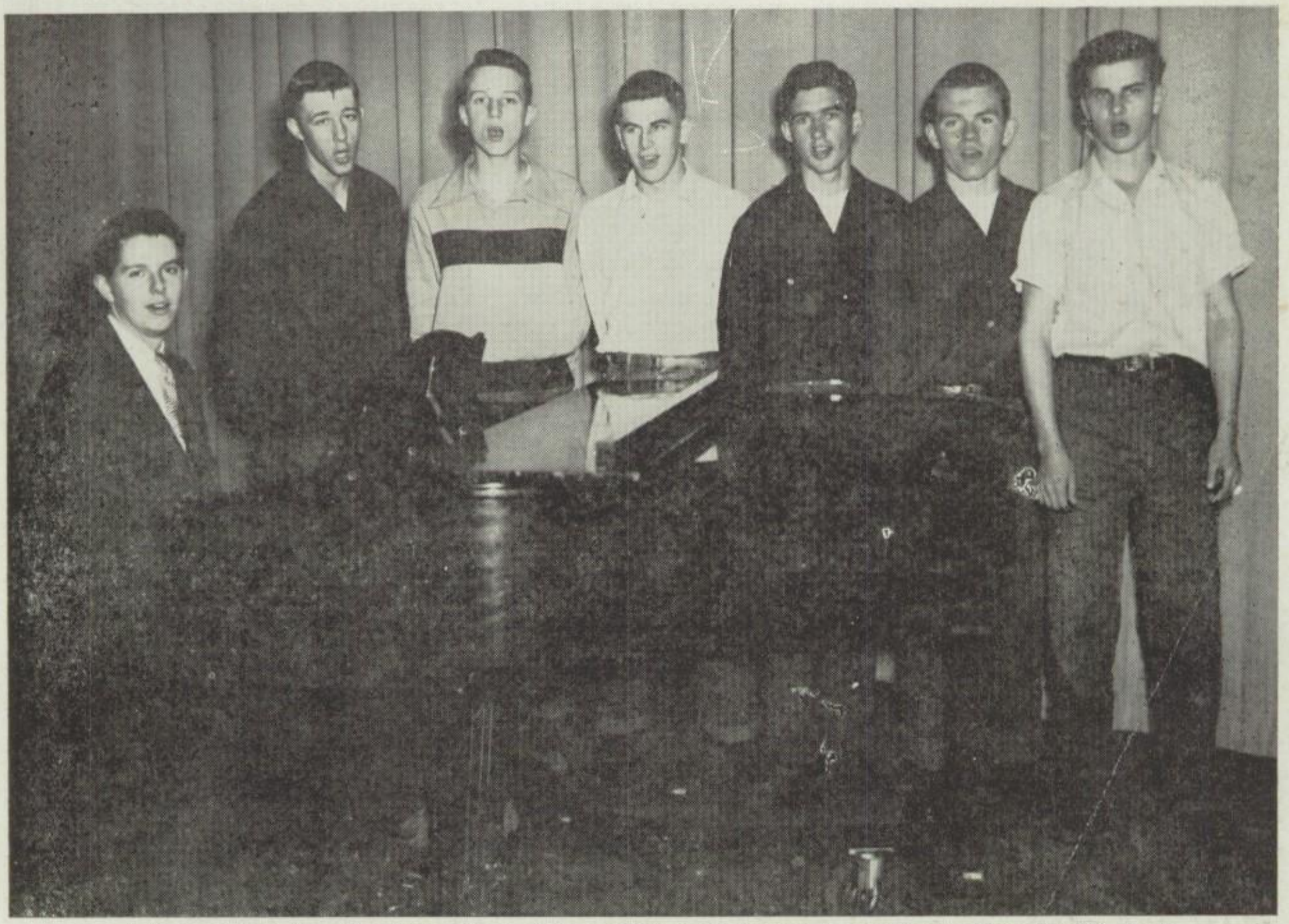
BAC

Row one: James Hoover, Wayne Schlichter, Kenneth Vaughn, Ray Wolfe, Jack Heck, Johhny Cornett, Fred Dobbs, Eugene Rice, Jerry Allen, Jack Stamper.
Row two: Charles Kimble, Vernon Lewis, Don Morris, Dale Jamison, Terry Tillery, Curtis Campbell, Ralph Bryant, Don Wilson, James Doss, Robert Lunsford, Advisor.
Row three: Curtis Sears, Paul Rice, Doug Hughes, Don Miller, Don Hagan, Herrmann Grafner, John Engel, George Sauer, Lowel Petry, Frank McNamara.

BAND

Row one, left to right: Jean McCalley, Margie Burns, Virginia Robinson, Majorettes.
Row two, left to right: Carol Stander, Rita Hesselbtock, Marilyn Gast, Eleanor Cone, Lloyd Stander, Jack Bachman, Clifford Ross, Vernon Lewis, Clydene Matheny, Joy Nogle, Gloria Nogle, Hurshel Whited.
Row three, left to right: John Duvall, Bob McDonald, Joe Cain, Clarence Ross, Bob Landes, Bob Bober, Herrmann Grafner, Wayne Schlichter, Eldon Green, Gordon Fox, James Sefton, Dick West, Mr. Rowland, Director.
Row four, left to right: Tom Williams, John Ittel, Tim Nogle, David Lewis, Robert Bowman, Lynn Lewis, Walter Morris, Marion Moore.
Absent from picture: Tom Burns.

DOUBLE QUARTET



Left to right: Mr. Rowland, Glenn Sefton, Wayne Schlicter, Vernon Lewis, Don Morris, Dale Jamison, Clifford Ross.
Absent: Jerry Scheinder, Johnny Engel.

G.A.A.

Row one: Chelsa Jones, Jean Thompson, Juanita Van Cleve, Dorothy Jones, Ann Thompson, Pat Wogenstahl, Betty Bryant, Vice President; Bernice Wilhelm, President; Jean McCalley, Secretary-Treasurer; Pat Hehl, Carol Baker, Bernice Endress, Marlene Fletcher, Genevieve Williams, Margie Turner, Janith Barker.
Row two: Charlotte Moore, Alberta Jones, Mary Louise Colwell, Patsy Stemmer, Eleanor Cone, Marian Cooke, Joanna Meeker, Mary Ann Schradin, Joan Tolley, Joanne Ryan, Carolyn Brackney, Clydene Matheny, Virginia Robinson, Ruth Schneider, Gayle Weber, Gloria Nogle, Joy Nogle, Donna Strickler, Shirley Hunter, Mrs. Fallanca, advisor.
Row three: Joan Engel, Fayetta Glaub, Martha Endress, Emogene Burns, Mary Ann Eschenbrenner, Martha Buell, Shirley Tolley, Jean Tolley, June Tolley, Dorothy Hilton, Mary Lou Huesing, Virginia Fletcher, Betty Franzmann, Dorothy Perpingon, Kay Van Cleve, Roberta Cain, Joan Lodder, Jean McCalley.

GLEE CLUB

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MAJORETTES

Virginia Robinson, Margie Burns, Jean McCalley.

MUSIC CLUB

Seated: Geneva Lewis, Gordon Fox, Dorothy Jones, Stanley Rowland, advisor; Bob Bober, Eldon Green, Mary Cooke.
Standing: Nancy Crane, Alice Brisbin, Joyce Hunter, Vivian Hymer, Grace Hilton, Geraldine Bond, Pattey McCreadie, Helen Massey.

Y-TEENS

Row one, left to right: Kay Van Cleve, Jeanne Brater, Mary Lou Morris, Marian Cooke, Dorothy Hilton, Fay Etta Glaub, Patty Wogenstahl, Chelsea Jones, Jean Thompson, Juanita Van Cleve, Jean McCalley, Emogene Burns, President; Jeannetta McCalley, Program Chairman; Joan Engel, Margie Andes, Secretary; Betty Franzmann, Treasurer; Shirley Tolley, Pat Mehl, Carol Baker, Bernice Wilhelm.
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Row one, left to right: Ruth Ann Hughes, Lynn Lewis, Don Witte, Richard Massey, Patsy Phillips, Carol Tozzer, Herman Hoover, Sherman Hoover, Ronald Wilson.
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Row three, left to right: Virginia Robinson, Accompanist, Roberta Hymer, Dorothy Stewart, Carol Patton, Rita Hesselbrock, Janice Knaus, Donna Sue Butts, Joan Harding, Lester McCommell, Carol Stander, Mr. Rowland, Director.

GIRL'S SEXTET

Standing: Stanley Rowland, director, Genevieve Williams, Mary Lou Morris, Pat Woganstahl, Marlene Fletcher, Elfrieda Landes, Jean McCalley, Nancy White, Margie Andes, Marilyn Gast, Mary Jane Johnson, Frances White, Shirley Hunter.
Seated: Stanley Rowland, director.

GIRL SCOUTS

Seated, left to right: Charlotte Krehbiel, Carol Stander, Carl Tozzer, Margie Burns, Sarah Turner, Hazel Swartz, Jeanne Barnett.
Standing, left to right: Jill Wilson, Margorie Crane, Mary Margaret Lewis, June Andes, Rita Hesselbrock, Carol Patton, Janice Knaus, Dorothy Pottenger, Jeraly Strickler, Donna Sue Butts, Jewel Brooks, Gloria Daily, Myrtle Green, Agnes Brown.

F.F.A.

This year the FFA had 21 members with Mr. Westfall as our advisor.

As money making projects during the year, we conducted two scrap drives, sold seed corn, checked coats at the Farm Bureau Banquet, and held a successful dance.

We won a bronze award in the parlimentary procedure contest. We had very successful judging teams as one of our projects.

Ross FFA had a contest with West Chester in the pest hunt, but we were unlucky and lost.

Our FFA-FHA Banquet was very enjoyable.

We are looking forward to many more successful years in the future.

HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society of Ross School was locally founded in 1946. Its members consist of Juniors and Seniors only. At the end of senior year 15% of the Senior students are qualified to be in this organization.

The qualifications for membership are scholarship, leadership, character, and service to the school and community. Students are chosen for these qualities at a closed faculty meeting. Later the chosen students are tapped by the members of the Honor Society in an assembly.

The annual Honor Society banquet was held April 22 in the Ross auditorium. All of the Honor Society alumni were invited. Dr. Walter Crewson was our speaker.

DRAMATIC CLUB

The Dramatic Club was organized to promote interest in public speaking. Membership is open to students from grades 9-12.

At the meetings, which are held during the regularly scheduled club periods, programs are presented by members of the club. A play, "Love Hits Wilbur," was given several times for various organizations.

Our meetings are brought to a close by the serving of refreshments.

BAND

The Ross School Band for 1949-50 included thirty-eight members, ably directed by our Stanley Lee Rowland. One of the outstanding activities for the year was learning to march. We demonstrated our ability along this line at several football and basketball games. We were asked to perform at the Butler County Tournament.

A benefit show was given to raise money to secure new uniforms. The Band Club was organized for this same purpose.

The officers for the year were as follows:

President	Vernon Lewis
Vice President	Gordon Fox
Secretary	Eleanor Cone
Treasurer	Joy Nogle
Librarian	Lloyd Stander
News Reporter	Gloria Nogle

MUSIC CLUB

The Music Club consisted of about fifteen members this year. We have made a tour of Radio Station WLW. Officers chosen for the year are as follows:

President	Bob Bober
Vice President	Geraldine Bond
Secretary	Eldon Green
Treasurer	Grace Hilton

The programs consist of singing songs and playing games.

Y-TEENS

We have had a good staff of officers this year. They are as follows.

President	Joan Engel
Vice President	Emogene Burns
Secretary	Margie Andes
Treasurer	Betty Franzmann
Program Chairman	Jeannette McCalley
Advisors	Miss Helen Lindsey
	Mrs. Julia Wildman
	Miss Margaret Etter

We sponsored one of the first dances of the year and it was a huge success. The director of the Y-Teens at the Y.W.C.A. came and visited one of our meetings. The opportunity was given to all Y-Teen members to go swimming and bowling at the Y.W.C.A. We gave a very impressive Christmas assembly with Y-Teens participating. Two members went as our representatives to an "Old Southern Style" dinner at the Y.W.C.A. which honored Y-Teen advisors and presidents. As our service project for the year, we contributed $50 to the polio fund. On the whole, in the Y-Teens we have learned how to live and work better together in today's confusing world.

DOUBLE SEXTET

For the first time the F.H.A. formed a double sextet from its membership. This group has enjoyed singing together and has added interest to programs in school and in the community. We took part in a P.T.A. meeting by dressing in gay ninety costumes and singing several old songs. We gave a repeat performance of this at a birthday luncheon in Venice. It was possible for us to journey to Hanover and participate in the regional meeting. There have been several splendid opportunities given us which most of us would never have gotten otherwise. One of the most important was the opportunity to sing on the radio. Not all of our performances have been on the humorous side for we have also done some serious numbers. The fifteenth of April we will enter a contest at Miami as a girls' chorus. In it we will do our best. The F.H.A. has been very generous in buying new music for us and we hope we are worthy of the effort they have put forth to obtain it for us.

GIRL SCOUTS

We started the year off with a sleepout. We cooked all our meals outdoors. We also went on a bicycle hike and hayride. (These activities helped us earn the Rambler Badge and Cyclist Badge.) We went on a cookout in Hamilton, also.

We elected Marjorie Crane and Jill Wilson to be on the Girl Scout Council for the first three months, and Mary Lewis and Nancy Jo Burns went the next three months.

We etched glasses and gave them to our mothers for Christmas. We visited a glass cutting shop in Hamilton to observe the process of glass cutting. It was very interesting. These activities helped us earn the Glass Badge.

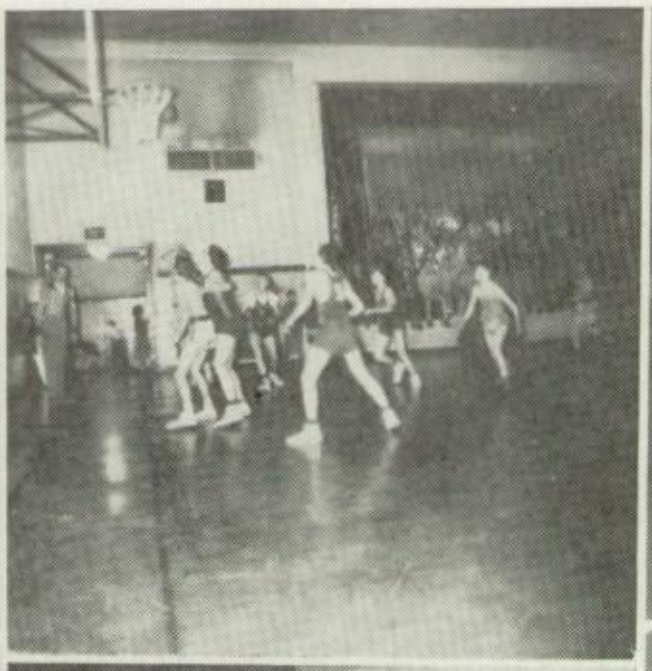
We kept charts of weather conditions for a month and used these as a basis for predicting the weather for another month. This helped us earn the Weather Badge.

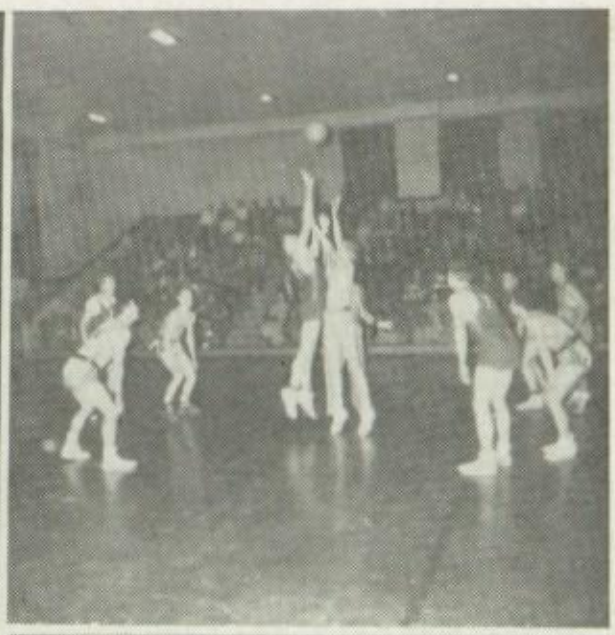
We attended the Girl Scout Concert.

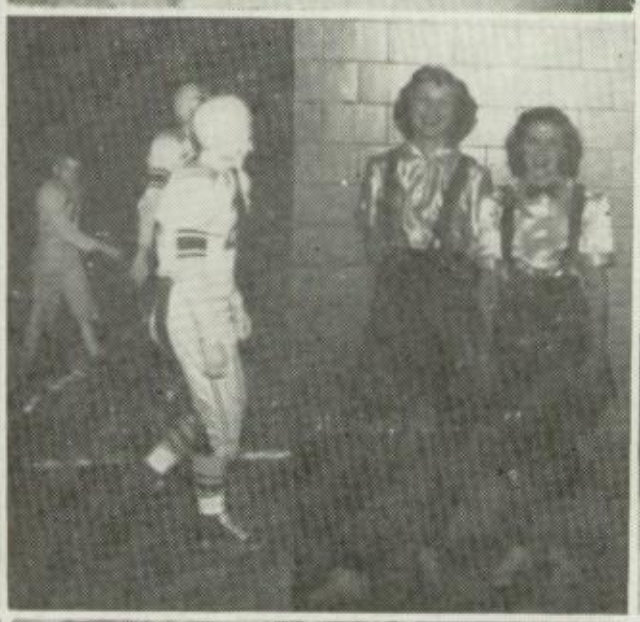
The Junior High School Scouts had another cookout and learned to tie knots. The sixth grade Girl Scouts had some cookouts, too. They earned several badges including the Hostess, My Troop, Fold Dancer, and Cyclist Badges.

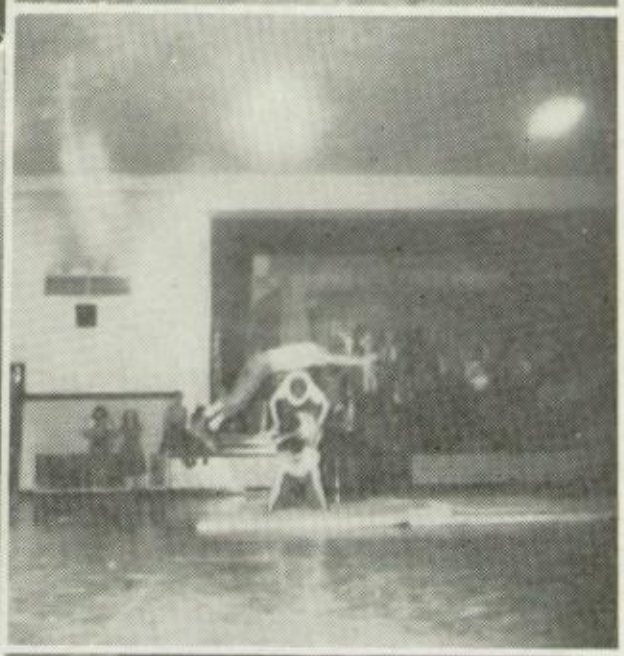
Both groups attended the two skating parties. We also participated in the cookie sale and theater party.

We are planning an exhibition for the Girl Scout Exhibition. We are also planning the program for the May P.T.A. meeting.



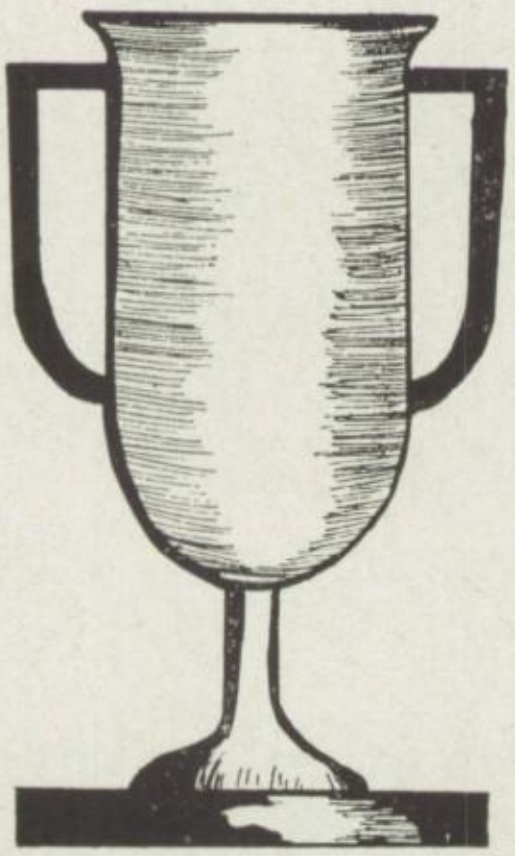






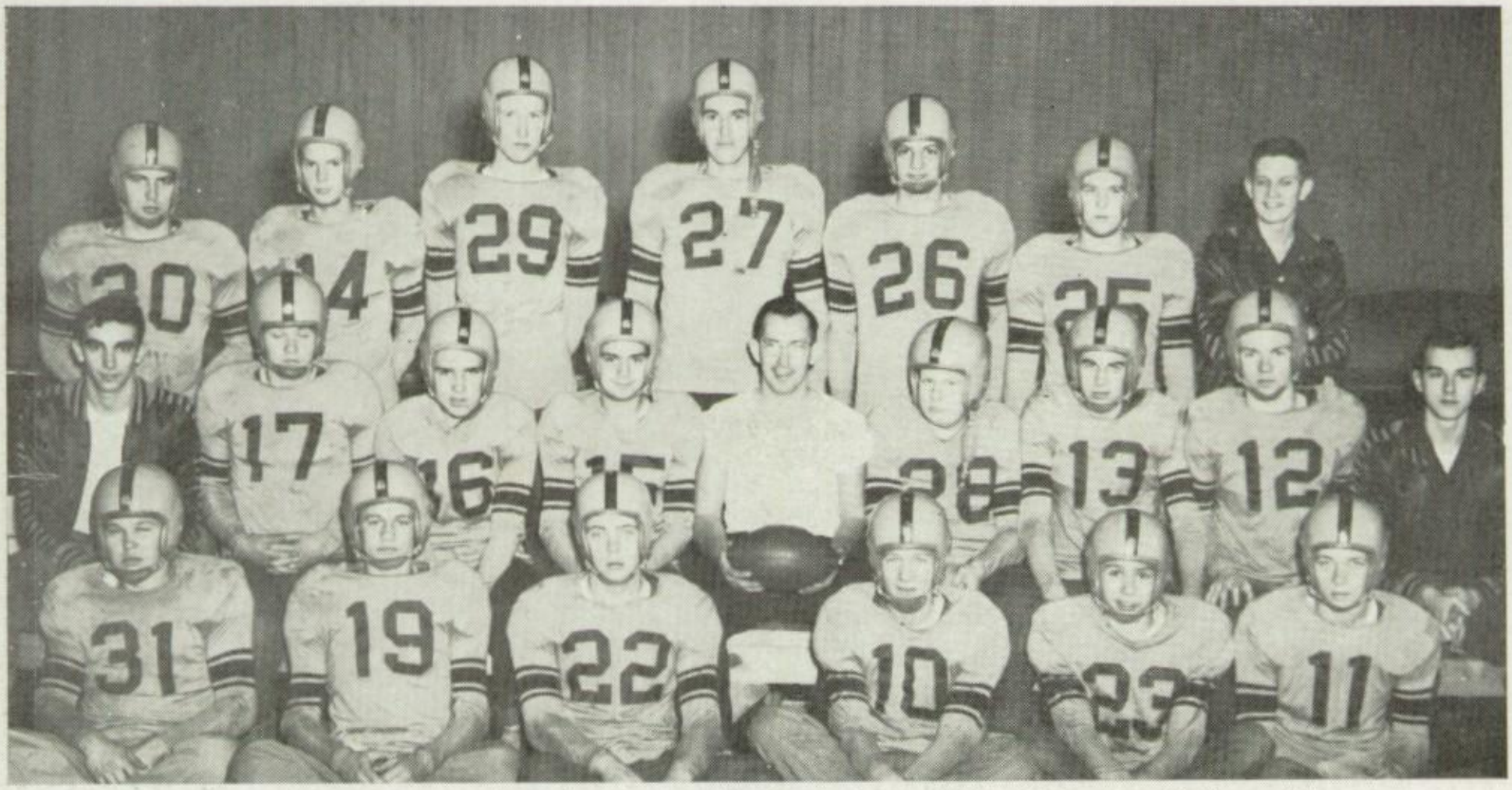
A word about our Coach

BOB LUNSFORD *came to Ross High two years ago after graduating from Fairfield and Miami University. He has coached the team to many baseball, basketball, football, and track victories. Coach Lunsford organized the Ross Booster Club. He also secured new uniforms for the various teams. Mr. Lunsford has done much to build up our sports and we are expecting great things for his team in the future.*



Sports

FOOTBALL



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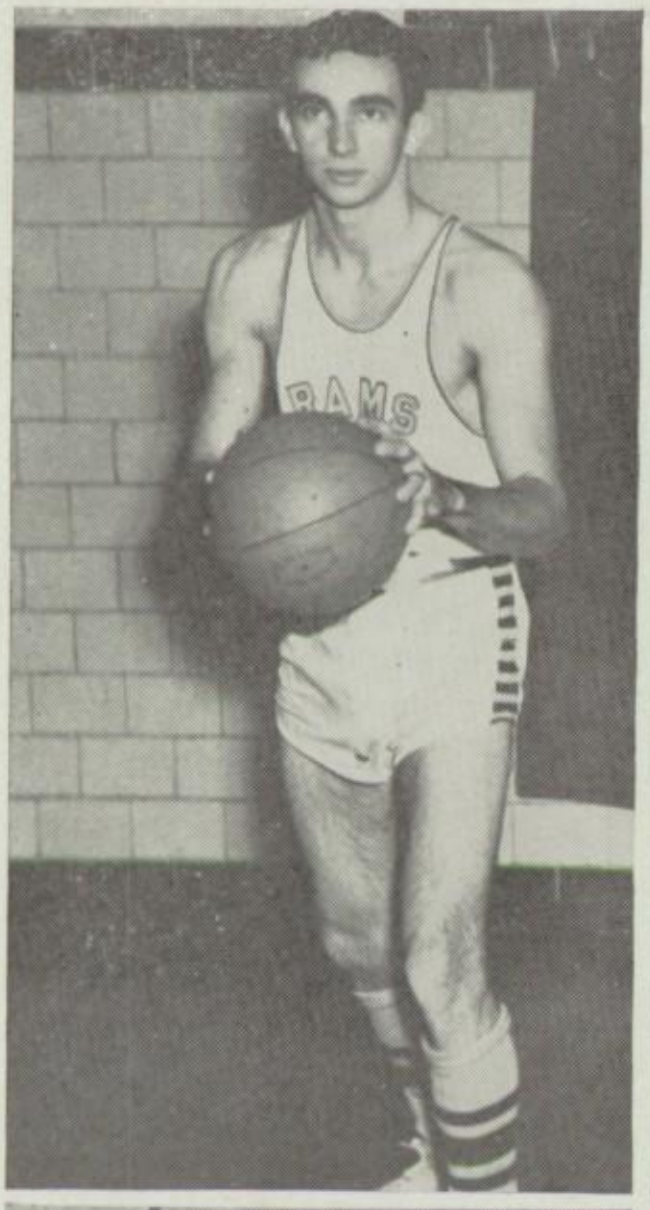
Row two: John Packer, James Hoover, Don Wilson, John Cornett, Mr. Lunsford, Jack Heck, Vernon Lewis, Dale Jamison, Jerry Schneider.
Row three: Bill Phillips, Jim Stokley, Forrest Ray Cisle, Bill Fraley, John Engel, Paul Rice, Leonard Stokley.

FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS

Front: Joy Nogle, Mary Jane Johnson, Margie Andes, Mary Lou Morris.
Back: Martha Buell, Carolyn Brackney, Joan Engel, Pat Mehl.

"A" TEAM

JOHN PACKER



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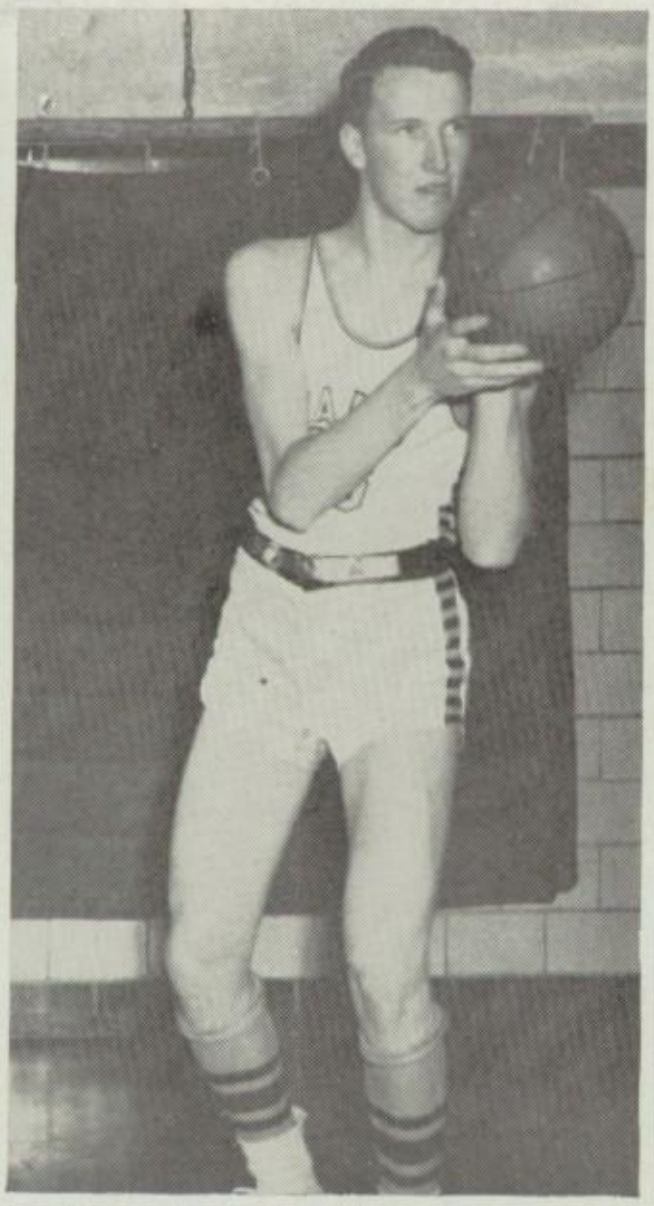

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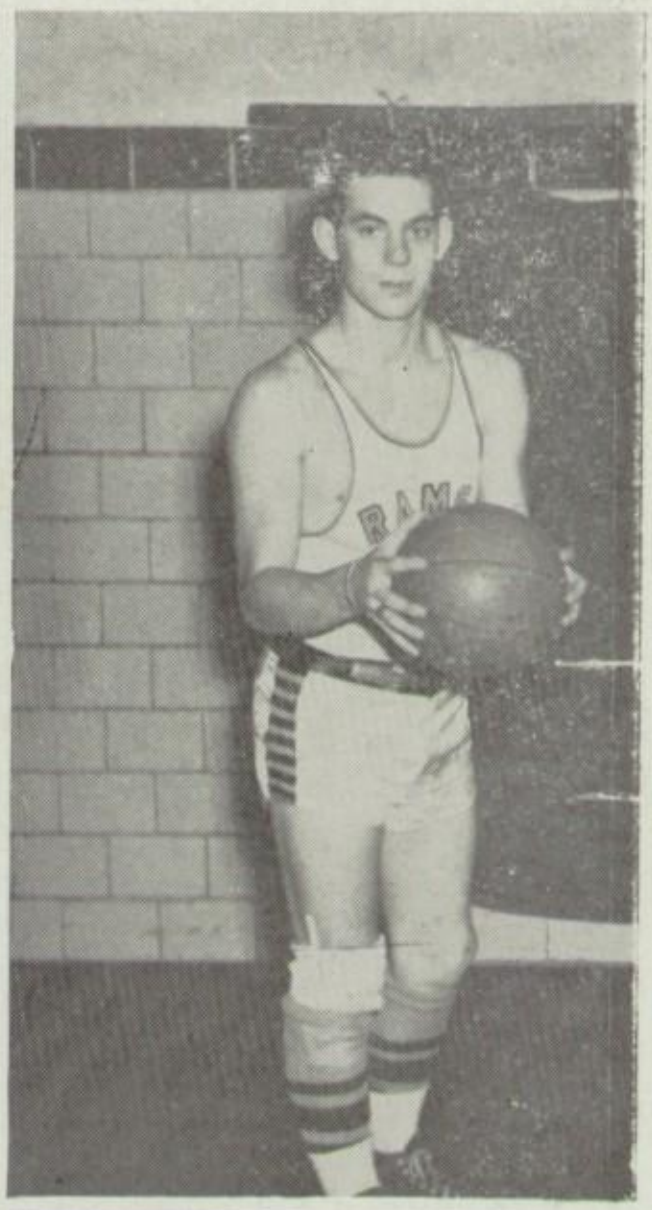

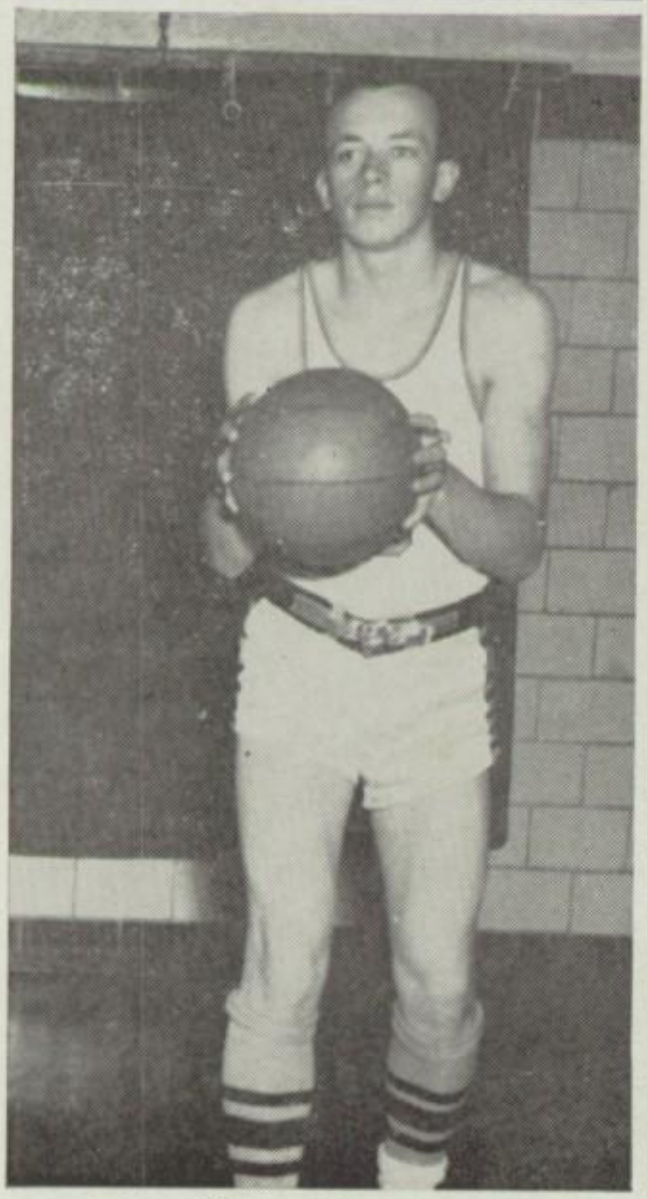

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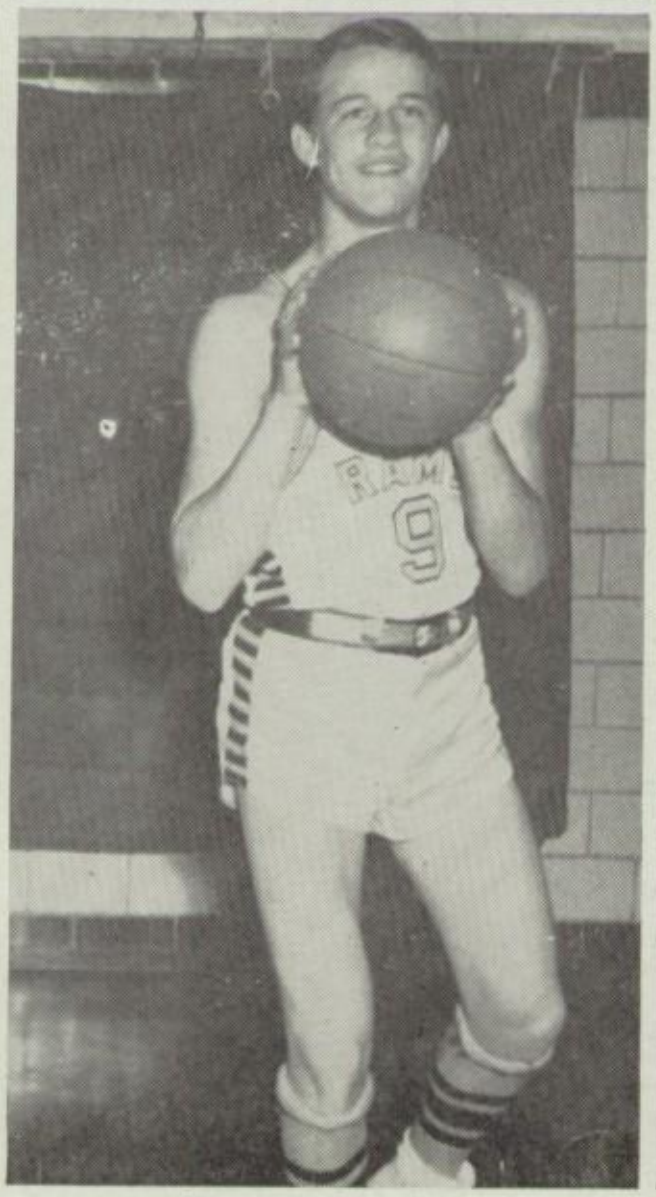
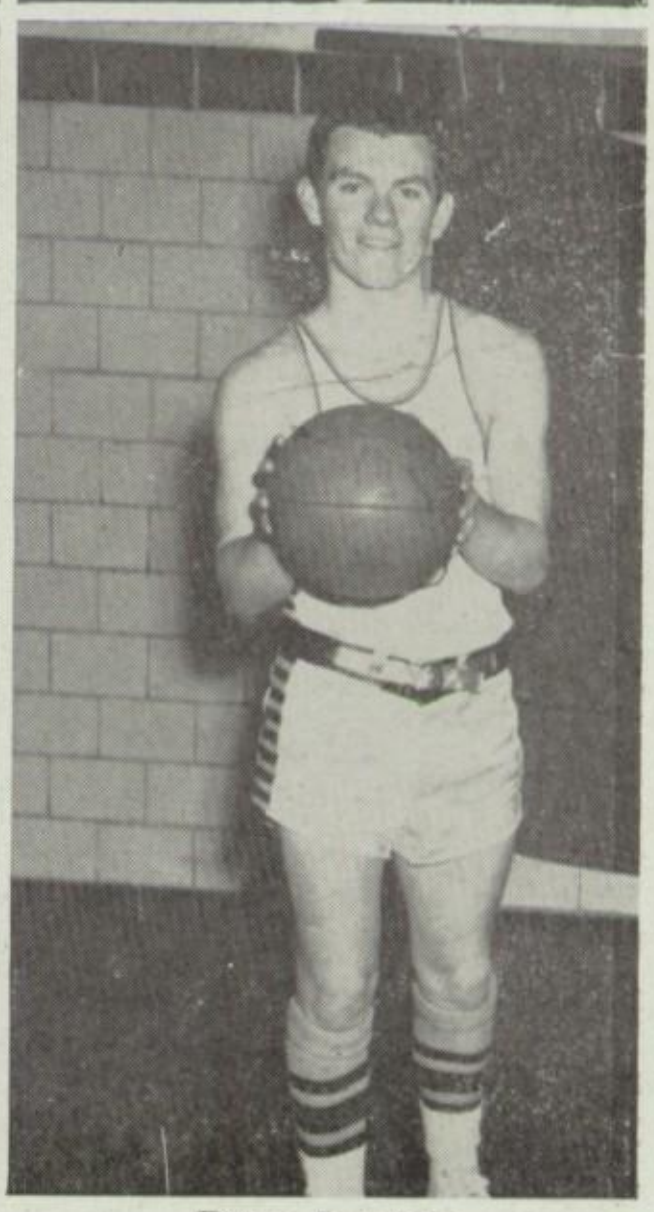


LOWELL PETRY



DALE JAMISON

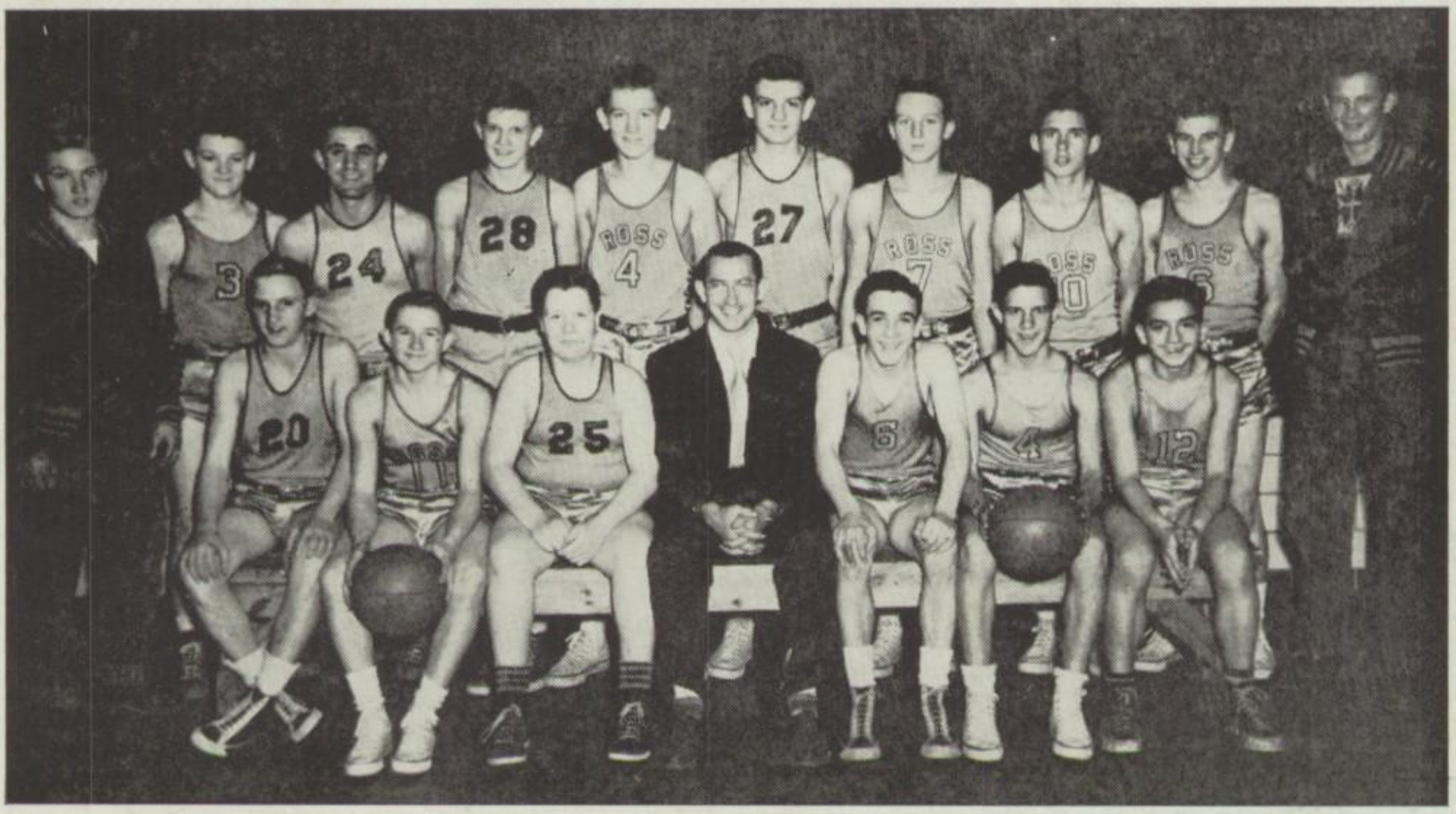
VARSITY BASKETBALL

Seated: Lowell Petry, John Packer, Don Hagan, Robert Lunsford, coach, Carl Allen, Vernon Lewis, Don Morris.
Standing: James Hoover, manager, Wayne Schlicter, Herrmann Grafner, Don Patton, Dale Jamison, Terry Tillery, Jim Stokley, manager.

"A" TEAM CHEERLEADERS

Front: Joan Engel, Martha Buell.
Back: Jim McNamara, Carolyn Brackney.

RESERVE TEAM (Basketball)



Seated: Curtis Campbell, Terry Tillery, Jack Heck, Robert Lunsford, coach; Jack Stamper, Charles Kimble, John Cornett.
Standing: James Hoover, Manager, Kenny Vaughn, James Doss, Leonard Stokley, Herrmann Grafner, John Engel, Wayne Schlichter, Don Morris, Vernon Lewis, Jim Stokley, manager.

"B" TEAM CHEERLEADERS

Ray Hoskins, Joy Nogle, Margie Andes, Mary Lou Morris.

BASEBALL

Row one: Forrest Cisle, Wayne Schlichter, James Hoover, Glenn Miller, Johnny Cornett, Boyd Jenkins, Bob Bober, Eldon Green, Jimmy Leuger, Harry Schwartz, Robert Lunsford, coach.
Row two: David Hilton, Don Patton, Herrmann Grafner, Charles Kimble, Jack Stamper, James Doss, Frank McNamara, Don Wilson, Fred Dodds, Ray Hoskins, Curtis Sears, Ralph Bryant, Jerry Miller.
Row two: Bill Bommer, Don Morris, Vernon Lewis, Carl Allen, Johnny Engelm, Dale Jamison, Don Hagan, John Packer, Don Miller, Leonard Stokley, Jerry Schneider, Bob Landes, Jim Stokely, Lowell Petry.

TRACK

Row one: Robert Lunsford, coach; Eugene Rice, James Hoover, Jack Stamper, Curtis Sears, James Doss, Lowell Petry, Jerry Miller.
Row two: Bill Bommer, Wayne Schlichter, Clifford Ross, Glenn Miller, David Hilton, Herrmann Grafner, Vernon Lewis, Curtis Campbell.
Row three: Don Morris, John Engel, Terry Tillery, Dale Jamison, Don Hagan, John Packer, Don Miller, Carl Allen, Don Patton.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Row one, left to right: Bernice Wilhelm, Mary Huesing, Betty Franzmann, Virginia Fletcher, Emogene Burns, Mary Ann Eschenbrenner.
Row two: Mrs. Fallanca, Carol Baker, Patsy Stemmer, Margie Turner, Betty Bryant.

GIRLS' SOFTBALL

Seated: Maxine Settle, Mary Lou Huesing, Betty Franzmann, Mary Jane Johnson, Joy Nogle, Bernice Wilhelm, Virginia Fletcher, Margie Turner.
Row two: Mrs. Fallanca, coach, Patty McCreadie, Pat Stemmer, Eleanor Cone, Betty Bryant, Mary Ann Eschenbrenner, Janith Barker.

SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE BASKETBALL

First row, left to right: Walter Morris, Richard Van Cleve, Ralph Vaughn, Art Huffman, Don Meyers, Dick West, Bob McDonald, Ray Massey, Charleston Krehbiel, Jim Sefton.
Second row: Eldon Burns, Irven Wilhelm, Jay Smith, Clarence Ross, Eugene Falk, Virgil Perkins, Don Lohr, Gary Shaw, James Colborn, Ray Wolf, Joe Cain, John DuVall.

SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE FOOTBALL

Row one, left to right: Mr. Lunsford, Richard Van Cleve, Ralph Vaughn, Arthur Hoffman, Don Meyers, George Matheney, James Colborn, Larry Wolf.
Row two: Walter Morris, Eldon Burn, Irvin Wilhelm, Jay Smith, Joe Cain, Virgil Perkins, Eugene Falk, Charleston Kreihbiel, Raymond Massey, Bobby McDonald, Dick West.

SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS

Front: June Andes, Jeanette Tracy, Doris Fox, Margie Campbell.
Standing: Patricia Smith, Nola Hesselbrock, Marlene Warren, Edmond Coffey.

CHEERLEADERS

Jo Ann Smith, Patsy Phillips, Sandra Warren, Patricia Keller, Norma Bitter, Ruth Ann Hughes.

FOOTBALL

We wish to congratulate our boys on their fine effort.

Ross—13 ..... Monroe—14

Touchdowns accounted for by Jim Stokley and Jerry Miller. Lewis heaved a pass to Stokley and Miller scored on a run. Jerry also ran the extra point.

Ross—0 ..... Oxford—60

Rough! Donnie Miller got his right leg tied in knots and Ross lost its first string end for the season.

Ross—0 ..... Seven Mile—58

Inferiority complex.

Ross—13 ..... Fairfield—36

Jimmie and Jerry again scored the touchdowns with Jerry adding the extra point.

Ross—12 ..... DePorres—20

Ross played its best game of the season against DePorres as Carl Allen and Vernon Lewis broke into the scoring column with a touchdown each, Lewis on a quarterback sneak and Allen gathering in a pass.

Ross—12 ..... McGuffey—24

Hermann Grafner took a pass from Lewis and scooted across the line. Jerry Miller added 6 points to his total.

Ross—0 ..... Lockland-Wayne—32

Ross ended up the season with a 0-7 record, but showed considerable promise, losing only two first string players by graduation, Bill Phillips and Jack Bachman.

With the Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors left for next year, Ross should produce a winning team.

BASKETBALL

During the 1949-50 basketball season, the Rams compiled a record of 5-13.

Carl Allen led the team in individual scoring with 179 points. Close behind was Petry with 174, Hagan with 111, Packer with 108, Patton with 71 and Jamison with 68. This does not include tournament play.

Coach Bob Lunsford loses two A Team players via diplomas—John Packer and Don Patton. Next year, it will be up to the returning players and we wish them luck.

TRACK

The track team is eagerly looking forward to the coming spring season and getting joints limbered up. Last season, the Ross team competed in the county meet at Oxford, placing a close third in the 440 relay.

At the beginning of this school year, the team went to Oxford again, this time for the cross-country race of two miles. Coming in first and second for Ross, respectively, were Stamper and Campbell.

This year promises to be more successful than last if the boys in shorts really come up to expectations.

BASEBALL

During the regular season, the Ross monkeysuiters won five and lost three. Seven Mile, a black spot during the season, turned the trick again in tournament play by defeating the Rams 2-0.

Ross lost five first string players: Meiers, pitcher; Phillips, first base; Lakes, catcher; F. Patton, shortstop; and Tragesser, outfield. The returning will provide a strong nucleus for the up-and-coming "rookies." Motto: On to Cincinnati!

Scores

Ross—4	Seven Mile—7	Ross—21	Morgan—1
Ross—4	Seven Mile—5	Ross—18	Fairfield—3
Ross—17	Monroe—3	Ross—7	Hanover—4
Ross—7	Stewart—8	Ross—9	Reily—5

Ross—0 ..... (T.) ..... Seven Mile—2

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